

## **Australasian University**

Respondent Characteristics Report
November 2009

This report provides summary information on selected response, student and course characteristics.

Information on response characteristics includes the population, actual sample size, target response sample, and the secured response sample.

Unweighted results are given for firstyear and later-year students, and for all students combined. Where appropriate, results of the Staff Student Engagement Survey (SSES) are also reported. Results are provided for your institution and for your chosen benchmark groups.



Institution	Benchmark group i	Benchmark group 2	Benchmark group 3
First Later All	First Later All	First Later All	First Later All
year year Students Staff	year year students	year year students	year year students
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Actual sample
Number
Per cent

Student characteristics

Age
Under 20
20 or over

Gender
Male
Female



1,000 1,000 1,000 14,000 14,500 28,500 

For response characteristics, both number and percentage are given. Only the percentage is reported for student and course characteristics.

For the 2009 AUSSE, each institution was asked to select two benchmark groups for comparison and a third benchmark group that Included either all Australian institutions, all New Zealand institutions or all Australasian institutions. ACER assigned default benchmark groups where no groups were specified by the institution. The institutions included in each benchmark group are listed below.

**Benchmark Group 1** 

Australian Catholic University Australian National University **Bond University** Central Queensland University Charles Darwin University Charles Sturt University Curtin University of Technology Deakin University Edith Cowan University Flinders University Griffith University James Cook University La Trobe University Macquarie University Murdoch University Queensland University of Technology Southern Cross University University of Adelaide University of Canberra University of New England University of Newcastle University of Notre Dame, Australia University of Queensland University of South Australia University of Southern Queensland University of Tasmania University of Technology, Sydney University of the Sunshine Coast

University of Wollongong

Victoria University

Benchmark Group 2

Lincoln University
Massey University
University of Canterbury
University of Otago
Victoria University of Wellington

University of Wollongong Victoria University Victoria University of Wellington Australian Catholic University Australian National University **Bond University** Central Queensland University Charles Darwin University **Charles Sturt University** Curtin University of Technology Deakin University Edith Cowan University Flinders University Griffith University James Cook University La Trobe University Lincoln University Macquarie University Massey University Murdoch University Queensland University of Technology Southern Cross University University of Adelaide University of Canberra University of Canterbury University of New England University of Newcastle University of Notre Dame, Australia University of Otago University of Queensland University of South Australia University of Southern Queensland University of Tasmania University of Technology, Sydney University of the Sunshine Coast

Benchmark Group 3



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	First	Later	All		First	Later	All	First	Later	AII	First	Later	All
	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
Response characteristics													
Population													
Number	3,000	3,000	6,000	600	93,501	109,933	203,434	10,640	9,459	20,099	104,141	119,392	223,533
Actual sample													
Number	1,500	1,500	3,000	600	57,380	49,682	107,062	8,869	8,029	16,898	66,249	57,711	123,960
Per cent	50	50	50	100	61	45	53	83	85	84	64	48	55
Target response sample													
Number	300	300	600	180	11,476	9,936	21,412	1,773	1,605	3,379	13,249	11,542	24,792
Per cent	20	20	20	30	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20	20
Secured response sample													
Number	400	400	800	400	12,357	13,439	25,796	2,522	2,304	4,826	14,879	15,743	30,622
Per cent	27	27	27	67	22	27	24	28	29	29	22	27	25

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	First year	Later year	All students	Staff	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students
Student characteristics													
Age Under 20 20 or over	72 28	8 92	40 60		68 32	10 90	38 62	80 20	5 95	45 55	70 30	10 90	39 61
Gender Male Female	30 70	31 69	30 70		30 70	32 68	31 69	37 63	36 64	37 63	31 69	33 67	32 68
International Yes No	6 94	11 89	8 92		6 94	14 86	10 90	5 95	9 91	7 93	6 94	13 87	10 90
Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander Yes No	2 98	1 99	2 98		2 98	2 98	2 98	1 99	0 100	1 99	2 98	2 98	2 98
Main home language English Language other than English	89 11	83 17	86 14		89 11	83 17	86 14	89 11	86 14		89 11	84 16	86 14
First in family Yes No	37 63	43 57	40 60		40 60	43 57	42 58	34 66	35 65	35 65	39 61	42 58	41 59
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	74 23 3	86 12 1	81 17 2		76 23 1	80 19 1	21				76 23 1	80 19 1	78 21 1
Disability Yes No	6 94	7 93	6 94		5 95	6 94	6 94	6 94	6 94	6 94	6 94	6 94	6 94

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		Australasi	ian University	/	Ben	chmark gro	up 1	Bend	hmark gro	up 2	Bend	hmark grou	р 3
	First	Later	All		First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
Course characteristics													
Field of education													
Sciences	11	12			10	9		17	19		11	10	11
IT	3	2			2	3		3	3		2	3	3
Engineering	6	9	7		6	6	6	7	6		6	6	6
Architecture	3	1	2		2	2	2	3	2		2	2	2
Agriculture	4	3	3		2	2		6	4		3	2	3
Health	18	18	18		22	19		14	12	13	21	18	19
Education	11	8	10		12	11	11	6	7	6	11	10	10
Business	13	16	14		13	19		12	16		13	19	16
Humanities	23	25	24		22	23		29	27	28	23	23	23
Creative arts	9	6	8		8	7	7	4	4	4	7	6	7
Attendance type													
Part time	10	11	11		12	17	15	7	6	7	12	15	13
Full time	90	89			88	83		93	94	93	88	85	87
Mode of study													
External/distance	13	16	14		13	21	17	7	7	7	12	19	15
Campus-based	87	84	86		87	79		93	93		88	81	85
'	07	04	00		07	, ,	00	,3	75	75	00	01	00
Main way of financing study	70	70	70		00	7.	70	77	77	77	01	7.	70
Government funded	79 21	79 21	79 21		82 18	76 24	79 21	77 23	77 23	77 23	81 19	76 24	79 21
Student fees	21	21	21		18	24	21	23	23	23	19	24	21
University financial support													
Yes	13	20			15	17	16	21	15	18	16	17	17
No	87	80	84		85	83	84	79	85	82	84	83	83
Average overall grade													
Less than 60%	12	11	11		12	10	11	13	7	10	12	10	11
Equal to or greater than 60%	84	88	86		84	89	87	84	92	88	84	89	87
Proportion of study online													
No study online	18	19	18		17	17	17	18	22	20	17	18	18
Some or all of study online	82	81	82		83	83	83	82	78	80	83	82	82
•	02	01	02		03	03	U3	02	70	00	03	02	02
Live on campus		_				_						_	
Yes	22	8	15		14	9		51	6		21	8	14
No	78	92	85		86	91	89	49	94	70	79	92	86

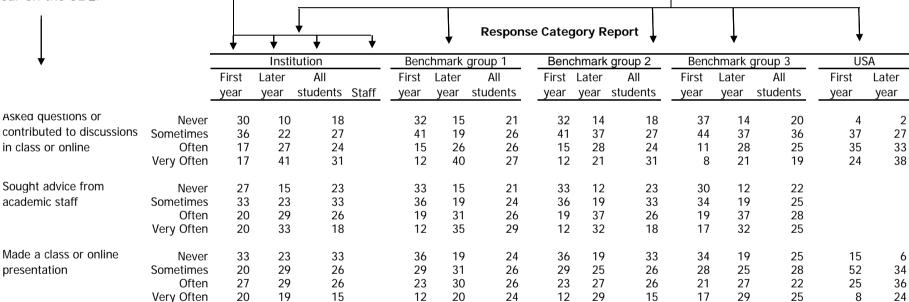


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Response Categories Report
November 2009

This report shows the distribution of students' responses to each item's response categories.

Items are presented in the order in which they appear on the SEQ. Results are given for first-year and lateryear students, and for all students combined. Where appropriate, results of the AUSSE staff survey (SSES) are also reported. Results are provided for your institution, your chosen benchmark groups (or the default option) and US institutions. USA figures are not available for all items.





The statistics report weighted percentage of responses. Note that USA percentages are not weighted.

	_	Australasian University					hmark o	roup 1	Beno	hmark g	roup 2	Beno	:hmark o	group 3	U	SA
	_	First	Later	All		First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	_	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Asked questions or contributed to discussions in class or online	Never Sometimes Often Very Often	7 52 28 13	6 41 31 21	6 46 30 18		6 46 33 15	4 41 34 22	5 43 33 19	14 58 21 6	10 50 27 13	12 54 24 9	6 47 32 15	42 33	5 44 32 18	3 36 35 26	2 26 32 41
Sought advice from academic staff	Never Sometimes Often Very Often	11 60 27 3	6 45 36 12	8 52 32 8		9 59 26 5	6 52 32 10	8 55 30 8	16 60 20 3	9 55 28 8	13 58 24 6	10 59 26 5	52 32	8 55 29 8		
Made a class or online presentation	Never Sometimes Often Very Often	32 46 17 5	14 43 31 12	23 45 24 8		26 46 22 6	16 42 29 12	21 44 26 9	54 35 8 2	25 48 19 8	40 41 13 5	29 44 21 6	43 28	23 44 25 9	15 52 25 9	34 36
Worked hard to master difficult content	Never Sometimes Often Very Often	3 31 48 19	2 28 46 24	2 29 47 21		2 29 50 18	2 27 49 23	2 28 50 21	3 33 47 17	2 31 47 20	3 32 47 18	2 30 50 18	27 49	2 28 49 20		
Prepared two or more drafts of an assignment before handing it in	Never Sometimes Often Very Often	24 34 31 11	26 33 22 19	25 33 27 15		25 35 25 14	24 34 24 18	24 34 25 16	27 36 24 13	31 35 21 13	29 35 23 13	25 35 25 14	34 24	25 34 25 16	13 30 33 25	16 38 27 19
Used library resources on campus or online	Never Sometimes Often Very Often	5 24 36 34	1 20 35 45	3 22 35 40		4 24 36 36	3 21 34 42	4 22 35 39	4 25 39 32	2 18 33 47	3 21 36 39	4 24 36 36	21 34	4 22 35 39		
Worked on an essay or assignment that required integrating ideas or information from various sources	Never Sometimes Often Very Often	4 22 44 30	1 18 34 47	2 20 39 39		3 19 44 34	1 14 39 45	2 16 42 40	9 27 40 25	2 17 39 42	6 22 39 33	3 20 44 33	15 39	2 17 41 39	2 20 44 34	1 13 38 49

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	_	First	Later	All		First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	_	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Used student learning support	Never	39	35	37		35	36	36	47	52	49	36	38	37		
services	Sometimes	41	43	42		41	41	41	35	35	35	40	40	40		
00.1.000	Often	16	16	16		17	16	16	14	10	12	17	15	16		
	Very Often	5	5	5		7	7	7	4	3	4	7	7	7		
Blended academic learning with	Never	44	28	36		41	24	32	53	38	46	43	25	33		
workplace experience	Sometimes	32	36	34		34	34	34	30	38	34	34	35	34		
TOTAL DESCRIPTION OF	Often	17	22	19		17	27	22	13	17	15	17	26	22		
	Very Often	7	14	11		7	15	12	4	7	5	7	15	11		
Included diverse perspectives in	Never	21	18	19		19	16	17	28	20	24	20	16	18	7	8
class discussions or written	Sometimes	41	41	41		42	41	42	43	41	42	42	41	42	31	30
assignments	Often	29	28	28		28	30	29	22	27	24	27	29	28	38	34
assignments	Very Often	9	14	11		11	13	12	8	12	10	11	13	12	24	28
Came to class having completed	Never	3	4	3		2	4	3	2	3	3	2	4	3	6	8
readings or assignments	Sometimes	27	32	30		25	30	28	31	34	33	26	30	28	14	16
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Often	45	41	43		46	43	44	44	42	43	45	43	44	57	57
	Very Often	24	24	24		27	23	25	22	20	21	26	22	24	23	19
Kept up to date with your studies	Never	1	4	2		2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2		
·1···1································	Sometimes	25	28	27		25	29	27	27	32	30	25	29	27		
	Often	52	44	48		50	47	48	50	48	49	50	47	48		
	Very Often	22	25	23		23	22	23	21	18	20	23	22	23		
Worked with other students on	Never	21	16	18		14	17	15	26	18	22	15	17	16	12	11
projects during class	Sometimes	31	35	33		37	36	36	40	40	40	37	36	37	43	40
p3g	Often	37	33	35		35	33	34	27	30	28	35	32	33	33	31
	Very Often	11	16	13		14	14	14	7	12	9	13	14	14	12	17
Worked with other students outside	Never	15	10	13		15	14	14	17	12		15	14	14	14	8
class to prepare assignments	Sometimes	39	35	37		37	36	36	41	39	40	37	36	37	41	33
	Often	34	34	34		35	33	34	32	33		35	33	34	31	34
	Very Often	12	20	16		14	17	15	10	16	13	13	17	15	14	25

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	_	First	Later	All		First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	_	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Put together ideas or concepts from different subjects when completing	Never	10	6	8		8	6	7	13	6		8	6	7	7	3
assignments or during class	Sometimes	47	41	44		45	39	42	49	43		46	39	42	39	26
discussions	Often	33	37	35		37	42	40	31	38		37	41	39	39	43
disdussions	Very Often	9	16	13		10	14	12	7	12	10	9	14	12	15	28
Tutored or taught other university	Never	79	72	75		78	71	74	78	69	74	78	71	74	52	44
students (paid or voluntary)	Sometimes	14	20	17		17	20	18	16	21	18	17	20	18	32	35
3,	Often	6	5	6		5	6	5	4	7		5	6	5	11	12
	Very Often	1	2	1		1	3	2	1	3	2	1	3	2	5	9
Participated in a community-based	Never	80	67	74		79	66	72	85	73	80	80	67	73	61	53
project (e.g. volunteering) as part	Sometimes	12	20	16		14	21	18	10	18		14	21	17	25	30
of your study	Often	6	8	7		5	8	7	3	6		5	8	6	9	11
or your study	Very Often	1	5	3		2	5	3	2	2		2	4	3	4	6
Used an online learning system to	Never	24	22	23		24	20	22	27	34	30	24	21	23	16	11
discuss or complete an assignment	Sometimes	42	42	42		40	41	40	41	41	41	40	41	41	31	27
discuss of complete air assignment	Often	27	25	26		25	26	26	22	18		25	25	25	28	27
	Very Often	7	11	9		10	13	12	10	7		10	12	12	26	35
Used email or a forum to	Never	10	4	7		9	4	6	19	9	14	10	4	7	2	1
communicate with teaching staff	Sometimes	46	31	39		39	32	35	46	38		40	32	36	21	13
communicate with teaching stair	Often	30	35	32		34	39	36	26	34		33	38	36	36	31
	Very Often	14	30	22		18	26	22	9	18	14	17	25	21	41	56
Discussed your grades or	Never	41	25	33		37	26	31	53	38	45	38	27	32	7	4
assignments with teaching staff	Sometimes	40	45	43		43	47	45	34	46		42	47	45	41	35
assignments with todering stan	Often	15	20	18		16	20	18	10	13	11	16	20	18	33	34
	Very Often	4	9	7		4	6	5	3	4	3	4	6	5	19	27
Talked about your career plans with	Never	61	37	49		59	46	52	63	48	56	60	46	53	23	17
teaching staff or advisors	Sometimes	27	46	37		30	37	34	28	38	33	30	37	34	45	41
todoming stair or davisors	Often	10	13	12		8	13	11	8	11	9	8	12	10	22	25
	Very Often	2	4	3		2	4	3	2	4	3	2	4	3	10	17

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	-	First	Later	All		First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	-	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Discussed ideas from your readings	Never	52	35			51	42	46	57	44	51	52	42	47	40	29
or classes with teaching staff	Sometimes	38	51	44		39	44	42	34	45	39	38	44	41	38	43
outside class	Often	7	13			8	11	10	7	9 2		8	11 3	10 2	15	18
outside oldss	Very Often	3	2	2		2	3	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	/	10
Received prompt written or oral	Never	18	9			12	10	11	20	12	17	12	10		7	5
feedback from teachers/tutors on	Sometimes	48	46			48	48	48	44	50	47	47	48		35	31
your academic performance	Often	26	37 8			34	34 8	34 8	30 6	32 6	31 6	33 7	34 8	34 7	40 17	44 21
your addacting performance	Very Often	/	8	1		,	ŏ	8	0	0	0	,	ð	,	17	21
Worked harder than you thought	Never	11	12	12		15	12	13	22	17	20	16	12	14	7	6
you could to meet a	Sometimes	53	43	48		47	45	46	46	49	47	47	46	46	36	34
teacher's/tutor's standards or	Often	29	34			31	32	32	26	28		30	32		39	39
expectations	Very Often	7	10	9		7	10	9	6	6	6	7	10		18	21
Worked with teaching staff on	Never	81	69			81	70	75	82	72	77	81	70		57	48
activities other than coursework	Sometimes	13	22			14	21	18	13	20	17	14	21	17	27	30
activities other than coarsework	Often	5	7	6		4	7	6	3	6		4	7	6	11	14
	Very Often	1	2	2		1	2	1	1	2	2	1	2	2	5	8
Discussed ideas from your readings	Never	9	5			8	8	8	6	5	5	8	8	8	6	4
or classes with others outside class	Sometimes	41	38			40	43	42	34	39	36	39	43	41	35 36	30 38
or diagonal minimation outside diago	Often	38	39			36	34	35	41	38	40	36	34	35	36	38
	Very Often	13	18	16		16	14	15	19	17	18	16	15	15	23	28
Had conversations with students of	Never	10	6			8	10	9	6	5	5	8	10		15	12
a different ethnic group than your	Sometimes	38	36			36	38	37	33	33	33	35	37	37	32	33
own	Often	27	34			31	30	31	31	34	33	31	31	31	27	28 27
OWIT	Very Often	24	24	24		25	21	23	29	28	29	25	22	24	25	27
Had conversations with students	Never	8	8			9	10	10	7	5	6	9	10		11	10
who are very different to you in	Sometimes	39	38			37	40	39	35	38	36	37	40	39	32	33
terms of their religious beliefs,	Often	29	32			31	30	31	31	32	32	31	31	31	29	30
political opinions or personal values	Very Often	24	21	23		23	19	21	27	25	26	23	20	21	27	28
political opinions of personal values																

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	-	First	Later	All		First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	_	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Memorising facts, ideas or	Very little	6	7	7	31	5	8	7	4	6	5	5	8	6	5	9
methods from your subjects and	Some	30	31	31	45	28	31	30	24	31	27	28	31	29	25	30
readings	Quite a bit	40	42	41	16	43	40	42	44	41	43	43	40	42	41	37
3.	Very much	24	20	22	9	24	21	22	29	22	25	24	21	23	28	25
Analysing the basic elements of	Very little	4	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	1
an idea, experience or theory, such	Some	20	15	17	10	19	17	18	21	16	19	19	17	18	18	13
as examining a particular case or	Quite a bit	47	44	45	43	47	46	47	48	46	48	48	46	47	44	41
situation in depth and considering its components	Very much	30	39	34	46	31	36	34	28	37	32	31	36	34	36	44
Synthesising and organising	Very little	6	3	5	2	5	4	5	7	5	6	5	5	5	4	3
ideas, information or experiences	Some	37	30	33	16	30	27	28	37	31	34	31	27	29	26	21
into new, more complex	Quite a bit	36	42	39	42	43	43	43	40	42	41	43	43	43	42	40
interpretations and relationships	Very much	21	24	22	40	22	26	24	17	22	19	21	25	24	28	36
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Making judgements about the	Very little	8	5	7	5	6	6	6	9	5		7	6	6	5	5
value of information, arguments or	Some Quite a bit	34 37	25 44	29 40	19 34	30 42	28 41	29 41	36	29 42		31 42	28 41	29 41	25	22 39
methods, such as examining how	Very much	22	26	24	34 41	21	4 i 25	24	39 17	42 25		21	25	23	42 28	39 34
others gather and interpret data and assessing the soundness of their conclusions	very much	22	20	24	41	21	25	24	17	25	20	21	25	23	28	34
Applying theories or concepts to	Very little	4	4	4	1	3	3	3	5	3	4	3	3	3	4	3
practical problems or in new	Some	26	15	21	14	23	20	22	26	21	24	23	20	22	21	16
situations	Quite a bit	41	41	41	34	42	40	41	43	39	41	42	40	41	39	36
Situations	Very much	28	40	34	50	31	36	34	26	37	31	31	36	34	36	45

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		First	Later	All	_	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
		year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Number of pieces of work that take	None	8	19	14	33	9	16	12	10	19	14	9	16	13	13	28
one hour or less to complete	1 to 2	41	49	45	56	41	43	42	44	47	45	41	43	42	36	36
·	3 to 4	31	21	26	8	35	29	32	33	25	29	35	28	31	26	20
	5 to 6	11	8	10	0	9	7	8	9	6	7	9	7	8	11	7
	More than 6	8	3	6	2	6	5	6	5	3	4	6	5	5	13	9
Number of pieces of work that take	None	8	8	8	39	7	9	8	8	8	8	7	9	8	12	19
more than one hour to complete	1 to 2	39	44	42	47	42	40	41	46	43	44	43	40	42	36	32
•	3 to 4	33	30	32	11	32	32	32	32	33	32	32	32	32	32	28
	5 to 6	11	11	11	2	11	11	11	9	9	9	11	11	11	10	9
	More than 6	9	6	8	2	8	9	8	5	7	6	7	9	8	10	11

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	_	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Number of assigned textbooks,	None	0	3	2	12	3	4	4	4	5	4	3	4	4	1	2
books or book-length packs of	1 to 4	49	44	47	71	41	43	42	39	41	40	41	43	42	21	27
subject readings	5 to 10	34	26	30	8	37	31	34	37	31	34	37	31	34	40	37
3	11 to 20	10	14	12	6	12	12	12	13	13	13	12	12	12	24	20
	More than 20	7	12	9	3	7	10	9	7	10	9	7	10	9	13	15
Number of books read on your own	None	19	16	18		19	18	18	20	18	19	19	18	19	25	21
(not assigned) for personal	1 to 4	49	48	48		47	46	47	47	46	46	47	46	47	52	53
enjoyment or academic enrichment	5 to 10	20	19	19		19	19	19	19	20	20	19	19	19	15	17
	11 to 20	6	7	6		7	9	8	7	8	8	7	9	8	4	5
	More than 20	6	10	8		7	8	7	6	8	7	7	8	7	3	5
Number of written assignments of	None	17	26	21	41	19	30	25	23	23	23	20	29	25	3	6
fewer than 1,000 words	1 to 4	59	53	56	48	57	48	52	54	48	51	57	48	52	32	34
,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	5 to 10	18	16	17	8	17	15	16	16	18	17	17	16	16	34	28
	11 to 20	5	4	5	3	5	5	5	5	8	6	5	5	5	20	18
	More than 20	1	ı	1	0	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	11	14
Number of written assignments of	None	11	8	9	22	10	6	8	21	7	14	11	6	8	14	10
between 1,000 and 5,000	1 to 4	57	45	51	69	55	45	50	49	40	45	55	44	49	53	44
words	5 to 10	27	33	30	5	29	36	33	26	38	32	29	36	33	26	31
	11 to 20 More than 20	4	12 1	8 1	2	5	11 2	8 1	4	13 2	8 1	5	12 2	8 1	6 2	11 4
	Wille than 20		ı		1	ı		'	1	2	'	'	2	•	2	
Number of written assignments of	None	83	68	75	87	83	71	77	88	71	80	83	71	77	80	50
more than 5,000 words	1 to 4	14	26	20	11	14	24	20	10	24	16	14	24	19	14	40
	5 to 10	2	4	3	1	2	3	2	2	3	2	2		2	4	7
	11 to 20	0	1	1	1	1	1 1	1 1	1	2	1 1	1	1 1	1 1	2	2
	More than 20	0	ı	0	0	0	1	ı	Ü	ı	ı	0	1	I	ı	I
Which box best represents the	Very little	3	3	3	2	2	4	3	2	2	2	2	4	3	1	1
extent to which your examinations	2	3	4	3	2	3	4	4	2	4	3	3	4	4	1	2
during the current academic year	3	7	7	7	6	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	4	4
have challenged you to do your	4	16	17	17	16	20	19	19	17	17	17	19	19	19	12	11
best work?	5	35	25	29	35	30	27	28	32	30	31	30	27	29	30	28
	6	21	22	21	22	21	20	20	22	24	23	21	20	20	34	33
	Very much	16	22	19	16	16	18	17	18	16	17	16	18	17	18	20

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	_	year	year	students	Staff*	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Attended an art exhibition, play, dance, music, theatre or other performance	Never Sometimes Often Very often	40 43 13 5	28 52 14 6	34 48 13 5	52 25 16 7	40 44 11 5	35 48 11 5	37 46 11 5	31 52 12 5	26 54 15 5	29 53 13 5	39 45 11 5	35 49 12 5	37 47 11 5	24 46 19 11	30 46 15 10
Exercised or participated in physical fitness activities	Never Sometimes Often Very often	13 39 25 24	13 35 27 25	13 37 26 24	33 24 25 18	16 35 24 25	14 36 26 24	15 36 25 25	11 34 28 27	9 33 25 33	10 33 27 30	15 35 25 25	13 36 26 25	14 35 25 25	13 27 26 34	13 32 24 31
Examined the strengths and weaknesses of your own views on a topic or issue	Never Sometimes Often Very often	12 44 37 7	9 49 29 13	10 47 33 10	4 12 34 50	14 47 31 8	12 46 32 10	13 47 31 9	14 49 29 9	12 47 31 10	13 48 30 9	14 47 31 8	12 46 32 10	13 47 31 9	10 37 35 19	8 34 37 22
Improved knowledge and skills that will contribute to your employability	Never Sometimes Often Very often	8 40 37 15	8 30 40 22	8 35 39 18	2 7 39 52	8 36 40 17	6 33 42 19	7 34 41 18	13 40 36 11	7 38 39 16	10 39 37 13	8 36 39 16	6 33 42 19	7 35 41 18		
Developed communication skills relevant to your discipline	Never Sometimes Often Very often	8 39 39 13	4 31 43 22	6 35 41 18	2 29 69	6 37 42 15	5 33 43 18	6 35 43 17	11 40 38 11	8 36 42 15	9 38 40 13	7 37 42 14	5 33 43 18	6 35 42 16		
Explored how to apply your learning in the workplace	Never Sometimes Often Very often	21 45 25 10	15 37 31 17	18 41 28 14	4 15 34 47	19 41 29 11	12 36 35 17	15 38 32 14	32 42 20 6	22 43 25 10	42 23	20 41 28 11	13 37 34 16	16 39 31 14		
Tried to better understand someone else's views by imagining how an issue looks from his or her perspective	Never Sometimes Often Very often	7 40 37 17	5 36 37 22	6 38 37 20	5 14 35 46	6 39 38 16	5 38 40 18	6 38 39 17	8 40 36 15	6 40 36 18		7 39 38 16	5 38 39 18	6 38 39 17	6 32 39 24	5 29 40 26

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	_	year	year	students	Staff*	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Learned something that changed the way you understand an issue or concept	Never Sometimes Often Very often	2 34 46 18	4 30 44 22	3 32 45 20	1 6 30 63	3 34 45 18	3 37 44 16	3 36 44 17	4 33 45 18	2 34 47 17	3 33 46 18	3 34 45 18	3 36 44 17		4 31 40 26	41
Spent time keeping your resume up- to-date	Never Sometimes Often Very often	48 35 14 4	33 43 18 6	41 39 16 5		42 39 14 5	34 43 16 6	38 41 15 6	53 31 13 3	41 43 12 4	48 37 12 4	43 38 14 5	35 43 16 6	39 41 15 5		
Thought about how to present yourself to potential employers	Never Sometimes Often Very often	23 45 24 8	15 46 27 12	19 45 26 10		24 44 24 8	17 41 30 12	20 43 27 10	35 43 18 4	21 48 22 8	20	25 44 23 8	17 42 29 12	21 43 26 10		
Explored where to look for jobs relevant to your interests	Never Sometimes Often Very often	27 40 25 7	15 39 30 16	21 39 28 12		26 42 23 9	16 41 30 13	21 41 27 11	31 43 21 5	20 46 24 9	44 22	27 42 23 9	17 41 29 13	21 41 26 11		
Used networking to source information on job opportunities	Never Sometimes Often Very often	43 36 18 4	28 34 28 9	35 35 23 6		40 36 17 6	28 40 22 10	34 38 20 8	45 35 14 5	34 41 18 7	40 38 16 6	41 36 17 6	29 40 22 10	20		
Set career development goals and plans	Never Sometimes Often Very often	26 43 20 11	21 37 30 12	23 40 25 12		28 39 22 10	19 40 27 13	23 40 25 12	34 39 18 9	26 43 21 10	41 19	29 39 22 10	20 41 26 13	24 40 24 12		

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	_	year	year	students	Staff*	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Practicum, internship, fieldwork or clinical placement	Not yet done Done	93 7	66 34	79 21	20 80	92 8	71 29	81 19	96 4	84 16	90 10	92 8	72 28	81 19	92 8	48 52
Industry placement or work experience	Not yet done Done	86 14	68 32	77 23	17 83	89 11	69 31	78 22	93 7	81 19	87 13	89 11	70 30	79 21		
Community service or volunteer work	Not yet done Done	86 14	71 29	79 21	31 69	85 15	73 27	78 22	87 13	78 22		85 15	73 27	79 21	61 39	40 60
Participate in a study group or learning community	Not yet done Done	75 25	70 30	73 27	10 90	78 22	72 28	75 25	77 23	72 28		78 22		75 25	82 18	74 26
Work on a research project with a staff member outside of coursework requirements	Not yet done Done	98 2	93 7	95 5	47 53	98 2	94 6	96 4	99 1	96 4	97 3	98 2	94 6	96 4	<b>9</b> 5 5	81 19
Study a foreign language	Not yet done Done	87 13	81 19	84 16	62 38	87 13	84 16	86 14	80 20	78 22		86 14	84 16	85 15	79 21	59 41
Study abroad or student exchange	Not yet done Done	98 2	93 7	95 5	57 43	97 3	92 8	95 5	96 4	93 7	95 5	97 3	92 8	95 5	97 3	85 15
Culminating final-year experience (e.g. honours thesis, capstone project, comprehensive exam)	Not yet done Done	100	98 2	99 1	23 77	100 0	97 3	98 2	100 0	99 1	99 1	100 0	97 3	98 2	98 2	67 33
Independent study or self-designed major	Not yet done Done	98 2	90 10	94 6	25 75	98 2	92 8	95 5	98 2	94 6	96 4	98 2	92 8	95 5	96 4	83 17
Consult a university careers service for advice	Not yet done Done	92 8	81 19	86 14	23 77	94 6	87 13	90 10	87 13	82 18	85 15	97 3	88 12	92 8		
Hold a leadership position in a university group or the community	Not yet done Done	98 2	87 13	92 8	42 58	97 3	88 12	93 7	96 4	86 14	91 9	97 3	88 12	92 8		

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	_	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Relationships with other students	Unfriendly,															
•	unsupportive, sense															
	of alienation	1	1	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	2	4	2			3	4	3	3	3	3	3		3	3	2
	3	4	4			6	6	6	6	5	6	6		6	5	4
	4	13	15			14	16	15	14	12		14		15	13	11
	5	21	21			22	23	22	23	22		22		22	22	21
	6	28	26			27	25	26	27	29		27		26	31	32
	Friendly, supportive, sense of belonging	30	31	30		27	26	27	26	28	27	27	26	27	26	29
Relationships with teaching staff	Unavailable, unhelpful,															
	unsympathetic	0	1	1		1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
	2	1	3			3	4	3	2	2	2	3	4	3	3	3
	3	4	5			7	8	8	7	6		7	_	8	6	5
	4	20	16			21	18	19	22	16		21	18	19	17	13
	5	29	28			29	27	28	29	29		29		28	27	24
	6	25	24			24	23	23	23	29		24		24	29	32
	Available, helpful, sympathetic	21	22	22		16	18	17	17	18	17	16	18	17	17	23
Relationships with administrative	Unhelpful,															
personnel and services	inconsiderate, rigid	1	1	1		1	3	2	1	1	1	1	3	2	3	5
•	2	4	6	5		5	7	6	4	6	5	4	7	6	6	8
	3	12	9			12	11	11	11	10		12		11	10	11
	4	25	24			27	25	26	24	26	25	26		26	23	21
	5	25	28			25	24	24	28	26		25		25	23	22
	6	17	17			18	17	17	20	18		18		18	21	20
	Helpful, considerate,	16	14	15		14	13	13	12	11	12	13	13	13	13	14
	flexible															

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	_	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Preparing for class (e.g. studying,	None	1	1	1	0	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	0
reading, writing, doing homework	1 to 5	26	32	29	28	33	32	32	31	31	31	33	32	32	15	16
or lab work, analysing data,	6 to 10	32	26	29	20	28	25	26	28	26	27	28	25	26	24	25
rehearsing and other academic	11 to 15	18	16	17	17	16	15	15	17	15	16	16	15	15	22	20
activities)	16 to 20	10	12	11	11	11	11	11	10	10	10	11	11	11	18	16
	21 to 25	6	4	5	13	6	6	6	7	7	7	6	6	6	10	10
	26 to 30	2	3	3	5	3	4	4	3	4	3	3	4	4	5	6
	Over 30	5	6	5	6	3	5	4	4	6	4	3	5	4	5	7
Working for pay on campus	None	96	87	91	41	94	88	91	95	87	91	94	88	91	80	73
	1 to 5	1	5	3	36	2	4	3	2	5	3	2	4	3	4	4
	6 to 10	1	4	3	19	1	3	2	1	3	2	1	3	2	7	7
	11 to 15		1	1	3	1	2	2	1	3	2	1	2	2	5	6
	16 to 20	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	3	6
	21 to 25		0	0		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1
	26 to 30	0	1	1		0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	1
	Over 30	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Working for pay off campus	None	38	32	35	22	32	26	29	59	48	54	35	28	31	66	42
	1 to 5	7	7	7	34	9	8	8	9	10	9	9	8	8	5	5
	6 to 10	17	15	16	27	16	13	15	13	14	14	16	13	15	5	6
	11 to 15	15	13	14	11	17	14	15	10	14	12	16	14	15	5	7
	16 to 20	11	13	12	5	12	14	13	4	8	6	11	13	12	6	9
	21 to 25	4	10	7	1	6	8	7	2	2	2	5	8	7	4	7
	26 to 30	2	2	2	0	2	4	3	1	1	1	2	4	3	2	5
	Over 30	7	8	7	0	6	13	10	2	2	2	6	12	9	7	19

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	<del>-</del>	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Participating in extracurricular	None	43	37	40	11	42		41	32	28		41	39	40	40	48
activities (e.g. organisations,	1 to 5	36	37	37	68	36		35	42	39		36		36	29	26
campus publications, student	6 to 10	13	14	14	16	13		14	17	19		14	15	14	13	
associations, clubs and societies,	11 to 15	5	5	5	3	5		6	5	8		5	6	6	8	6
	16 to 20	2	3	3	1	2	3	3	3	3	3	2	3	3	5	4
sports, etc.)	21 to 25		2	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2
	26 to 30	0	1	0		0		0	0	0	0	0		0	1	1
	Over 30	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	2
Relaxing and socialising (e.g.	None	1	1	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
watching TV, partying, etc.)	1 to 5	19	22	21		18		19	16	13		18	20	19	22	27
watering i v, partying, etc.)	6 to 10	30	29	29		27		28	26	26		27		28	28	30
	11 to 15	21	25	23		21		22	22	24	23	21	22	22	21	19
	16 to 20	13	11	12		15		15	16	16		15		15	14	11
	21 to 25	8	6	7		8		7	7	9	-	8	6	7	6	5
	26 to 30	4	3	3		3		3	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	2
	Over 30	4	5	5		7	5	5	8	7	7	7	5	6	5	4
Providing care for dependents living	None	57	55	56		50		49	72	71	71	52		51	69	
with you (e.g. parents, children,	1 to 5	19	17	18		24	18	21	16	15	16	23	18	21	13	13
spouse, etc.)	6 to 10	9	7	8		10	10	10	5	5	5	9	10	9	6	7
spouse, etc.)	11 to 15	3	5	4		4	- 5	5	2	3	2	4	5	5	3	4
	16 to 20	3	2	3		3	4	3	2	2	2	3	4	3	2	3
	21 to 25	1	3	2		2	2	2	1	1	1	2		2	1	2
	26 to 30	1	2	2		1	2	1	0	1	1	1	2	1	1	1
	Over 30	6	9	7		6	11	9	2	3	3	6	10	8	4	1
Managing personal business (e.g.	None	7	4	6		9	5	7	12	8	10	9	6	7		
housework, shopping, exercise,	1 to 5	39	34	36		37	31	33	45	37	41	38	31	34		
health needs, etc.)	6 to 10	30	32	31		28	30	29	27	31	29	28	30	29		
nealth needs, etc.)	11 to 15	12	14	13		14	16	15	11	13	12	14	16	15		
	16 to 20	7	10	8		6	8	7	3	6	4	6	8	7		
	21 to 25	2	3	2		2	4	3	1	2	2	2	4	3		
	26 to 30	1	1	1		1	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	1		
	Over 30	2	4	3		3	4	3	1	1	1	2	4	3		

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	-	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Travelling to campus (e.g. driving,	None	9	7	8		7	11	9	10	4	7	8	10	9	14	9
walking, etc.)	1 to 5	52	63	58		51	57	54	67	69	68	52	58	55	61	62
,	6 to 10	26	22	24		29	22	25	16	19	18	27	22	25	15	19
	11 to 15	9	5	7		9	7	8	4	5	5	9	7	7	5	6
	16 to 20	3	1	2		3	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2
	21 to 25	1	0	0		1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
	26 to 30		1	0		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Over 30	0	1	0		0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1
Being on campus, including time	None	4	4	4	3	3	9	6	2	1	1	3	8	6		
spent in class	1 to 5	2	6	4	8	4	8	6	3	2	3	4	8	6		
•	6 to 10	8	21	14	13	11	18	15	8	11	9	11	17	14		
	11 to 15	30	21	25	23	27	25	26	20	19	20	26	25	25		
	16 to 20	20	20	20	23	25	19	21	27	21	24	25	19	22		
	21 to 25	18	12	15	15	15	10	12	18	18	18	15	11	13		
	26 to 30	6	7	7	10	7	5	6	10	12	11	8	6	7		
	Over 30	11	10	10	5	9	6	7	12	15	13	9	7	8		
Being on campus, excluding time	None	7	9	8	9	8	15	12	8	4	6	8	14	12		
spent in class	1 to 5	47	44	46	34	46	44	45	44	33	39	46	43	45		
•	6 to 10	20	19	20	34	23	20	21	22	23	23	23	20	21		
	11 to 15	11	11	11	12	10	9	9	11	16	13	10	10	10		
	16 to 20	4	9	7	4	5	5	5	7	11	9	5	5	5		
	21 to 25	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	6	4	3	3	3		
	26 to 30	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	3	2	1	1	1		
	Over 30	5	4	5	2	5	3	4	5	5	5	5	3	4		
If you are working for pay, how	Not at all	38	29	33		41	30	35	33	34	33	40	31	35		
much is this work related to your	Very little	15	14	15		14	13	13	11	13	12	13	13	13		
field of study	Some	9	10	9		10	13	12	7	10	9	10	13	11		
,	Quite a bit	8	10	9		6	9	8	4	6	5	6	9	8		
	Very much	9	17	13		10	21	16	5	9	7	9	20	15		
	Not in paid work	23	20	21		20	13	16	41	27	34	22	14	18		

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		First	Later	All		First Later All year year students			First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	_	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Spending significant amounts of time studying and on academic work	Very little	3	2	2	2	2	3	3	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	2
	Some	21	18	20	19	19	22	20	17	17	17	19	21	20	17	17
	Quite a bit	45	50	47	51	50	48	49	51	51	51	50	48	49	46	45
	Very much	31	30	31	27	28	28	28	30	30	30	28	28	28	35	35
Providing the support you need to help you succeed academically	Very little	2	5	4	3	3	7	5	3	5	4	3	7	5	3	5
	Some	25	33	29	13	26	34	31	23	32	27	26	34	30	20	24
	Quite a bit	52	44	48	56	48	42	45	49	48	48	48	43	45	44	43
	Very much	21	17	19	27	22	16	19	25	16	21	23	16	19	33	28
Encouraging contact among students from different economic, social and ethnic backgrounds	Very little	21	25	23	19	19	26	23	25	30	27	19	27	23	12	17
	Some	36	40	38	32	37	38	38	36	41	38	37	38	38	29	32
	Quite a bit	31	28	30	39	30	26	28	27	21	24	29	25	27	34	30
	Very much	11	8	10	10	14	10	12	12	9	11	14	10	12	25	21
Helping you cope with your non-academic responsibilities (e.g. work, family, etc.)	Very little	41	43	42	23	36	47	42	39	49	44	36	47	42	24	36
	Some	42	37	39	45	41	35	38	40	38	39	41	36	38	37	36
	Quite a bit	13	18	15	25	18	14	16	16	11	13	18	13	15	26	18
	Very much	5	2	4	6	5	4	4	5	3	4	5	4	4	13	9
Providing the support you need to socialise	Very little	26	33	30	37	26	37	32	20	30	25	25	36	31	16	24
	Some	42	40	41	43	43	41	42	42	41	42	43	41	42	35	39
	Quite a bit	24	22	23	15	24	18	21	30	23	27	25	18	21	33	26
	Very much	8	5	6	5	7	5	6	8	6	7	7	5	6	16	11
Attending campus events and activities (e.g. special speakers, cultural performances, sporting events, etc.)	Very little	21	25	23	26	20	27	24	13	16	14	19	26	23	10	14
	Some	40	41	40	44	40	41	41	37	43	40	40	41	41	24	30
	Quite a bit	26	27	27	25	30	25	27	39	32	36	31	25	28	38	35
	Very much	13	7	10	5	10	7	8	11	8	10	10	7	8	28	21
Using computers in academic work	Very little	4	3	3	3	4	5	4	4	3	4	4	5	4	2	2
	Some	20	16	18	10	18	18	18	18	19	19	18	18	18	13	9
	Quite a bit	36	41	38	37	39	35	37	43	36	40	39	35	37	34	28
	Very much	40	41	40	50	38	43	41	35	42	38	38	43	41	51	60
Acquiring a broad general education	Very little	4	2	3	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
	Some	23	23	23	26	24	22	23	24	23	23	24	22	23	16	14
	Quite a bit	47	44	46	43	51	48	49	50	44	47	51	47	49	43	38
	Very much	26	31	29	27	22	27	25	23	30	27	22	28	25	38	45

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	<del>-</del>	First	Later	All				First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	
	_	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Acquiring job-related or work- related knowledge and skills	Very little Some Quite a bit Very much	9 29 38 24	4 21 41 33	7 25 39 29	2 10 37 50	8 27 40 26	6 21 40 33	7 24 40 30	12 33 37 18	7 27 38 28	10 30 37 23	8 27 40 25	6 22 40 32	7 24 40 29	9 27 37 27	6 20 34 39
Writing clearly and effectively	Very little Some Quite a bit Very much	6 32 45 18	4 24 37 35	5 28 41 27	2 14 36 48	7 31 42 20	5 25 42 28	6 28 42 24	9 33 40 18	5 25 42 28	7 29 41 23	7 31 42 20	5 25 42 28	6 28 42 24	5 21 41 33	4 19 38 38
Speaking clearly and effectively	Very little Some Quite a bit Very much	14 36 38 13	7 29 40 24	11 32 39 18	4 17 41 38	13 36 36 15	10 30 40 20	11 33 38 18	22 39 28 11	12 35 35 18	17 37 32 14	14 37 35 14	10 30 39 20	12 33 37 17	8 26 38 27	6 23 37 34
Thinking critically and analytically	Very little Some Quite a bit Very much	3 17 50 31	1 11 41 46	2 14 46 38	0 3 27 70	2 17 47 33	2 15 44 39	2 16 46 37	2 17 47 34	1 13 42 43	45	2 17 47 33	2 15 44 40	2 16 45 37	2 15 41 42	
Analysing quantitative problems	Very little Some Quite a bit Very much	7 33 44 16	5 27 42 27	6 30 43 21	16 26 26 32	7 28 43 21	5 25 43 27	6 26 43 24	7 28 44 21	5 26 43 26	27 44	7 28 43 21	5 25 43 27	6 26 43 24	5 23 41 31	5 21 37 38
Using computing and information technology	Very little Some Quite a bit Very much	10 27 39 25	4 27 42 27	7 27 41 26	6 20 38 36	8 26 38 28	6 24 38 32	7 25 38 30	12 32 35 22	8 25 38 29	29 36	9 26 37 27	6 24 38 32	7 25 38 30	5 21 38 36	4 17 34 45
Working effectively with others	Very little Some Quite a bit Very much	8 26 44 22	5 24 44 27	7 25 44 24	2 15 40 42	6 27 43 24	7 26 42 25	7 27 42 24	11 36 38 15	7 27 41 25	9 32 39 20	7 28 42 23	7 26 42 25	7 27 42 24	5 23 39 33	4 18 36 42

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		First	Later	All		First Later All year year students			First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	_	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Voting informedly in local, state or national elections	Very little	63	52	57	70	65	61	63	55	49	52	64	60	62	21	28
	Some	22	29	25	17	22	22	22	28	31	29	22	23	23	27	30
	Quite a bit	11	13	12	8	10	11	11	12	14	13	10	12	11	27	23
	Very much	4	6	5	5	4	5	5	4	6	5	4	5	5	25	20
Learning effectively on your own	Very little	3	2	3	2	5	5	5	4	4	4	4	5	5	5	6
	Some	24	19	21	11	25	21	23	23	20	22	25	21	23	22	19
	Quite a bit	43	44	44	45	45	43	44	42	45	43	45	43	44	43	39
	Very much	30	34	32	43	25	31	28	31	32	31	26	31	29	31	36
Understanding yourself	Very little	12	15	13	22	15	15	15	15	13	14	15	15	15	10	12
	Some	36	26	31	24	33	30	31	33	31	32	33	30	31	25	25
	Quite a bit	34	37	35	32	35	35	35	34	37	35	35	35	35	36	33
	Very much	18	22	20	22	16	20	18	18	19	19	16	20	18	29	30
Understanding people of other racial and ethnic backgrounds	Very little	14	14	14	25	18	17	17	21	17	19	18	17	17	12	13
	Some	35	34	34	25	34	34	34	37	37	37	34	34	34	30	31
	Quite a bit	34	32	33	27	33	31	32	28	29	28	32	31	32	34	32
	Very much	17	20	18	22	16	18	17	14	17	15	16	18	17	24	24
Solving complex, real-world problems	Very little	11	9	10	2	11	10	10	12	8	10	11	9	10	10	10
	Some	33	30	32	17	34	32	33	35	31	33	34	32	33	31	27
	Quite a bit	40	38	39	35	38	39	38	37	40	39	38	39	38	36	36
	Very much	16	23	20	47	17	20	19	16	20	18	17	20	19	23	27
Developing a personal code of values and ethics	Very little	13	14	13	13	17	15	16	19	16	17	17	15	16	13	15
	Some	39	29	34	23	34	33	33	35	33	34	34	33	34	28	27
	Quite a bit	34	33	34	34	33	33	33	32	34	33	33	33	33	34	31
	Very much	15	24	20	30	16	18	17	15	17	16	16	18	17	25	28
Contributing to the welfare of your community	Very little	22	22	22	20	26	26	26	33	29	31	27	26	26	18	19
	Some	41	33	37	30	39	35	37	38	39	38	39	36	37	34	33
	Quite a bit	28	34	31	27	25	26	26	21	23	22	25	26	26	30	28
	Very much	9	10	10	23	10	12	11	7	9	8	9	12	11	19	20
Securing relevant work after graduation	Very little Some Quite a bit Very much	24 33 27 16	17 29 35 19	20 31 31 18	7 22 40 31	22 32 30 16	21 31 30 18	21 31 30 17	32 34 24 10	23 35 27 14	27 35 26 12	23 32 29 16	21 31 29 18	22 32 29 17		

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	_	First	Later	All			Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	_	year	year	students	Staff*	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
No, I have not considered a change	Selected Not selected	69 31	77 23	73 27	83 17	71 29	72 28	72 28	71 29	73 27		71 29	72 28	72 28		
Yes, to improve career prospects	Selected Not selected	5 95	7 93	6 94		8 92	8 92	8 92	6 94	6 94	6 94	8 92	8 92	8 92		
Yes, for academic reasons	Selected Not selected	11 89	7 93	9 91		8 92	8 92	8 92	8 92	8 92		8 92	8 92	8 92		
Yes, for convenience or practical reasons	Selected Not selected	12 88	7 93	9 91		10 90	7 93	9 91	11 89	8 92		10 90	7 93	9 91		
Yes, for financial reasons or to reduce study costs	Selected Not selected	7 93	6 94	7 93		7 93	7 93	7 93	8 92	7 93		7 93	7 93	7 93		
Yes, to obtain better quality education	Selected Not selected	3 97	6 94	5 95		5 95	7 93	6 94	4 96	5 95		5 <b>9</b> 5	7 93	6 94		
Yes, for other reasons	Selected Not selected	6 94	6 94	6 94		7 93	7 93	7 93								
Continue with current study	Selected Not selected	93 7	67 33	80 20		91 9	66 34	78 22	92 8	75 25		91 9	67 33	78 22		
Shift to another university	Selected Not selected	8 92	4 96	6 94		7 93	5 95	6 94	7 93	6 94		7 93	5 95	6 94		
Move to vocational education and training	Selected Not selected	100	3 97	2 98		1 99	2 98	1 99	1 99	2 98		1 99	2 98	1 99		
Change to another qualification	Selected Not selected	9 91	5 95	7 93		9 91	5 95	7 93	9 91	6 94		9 91	6 94	7 93		
Leave university before finishing qualification	Selected Not selected	1 99	0 100	1 99		1 99	1 99	1 99	3 97	2 98		2 98	1 99	1 99		
Leave university having completed qualification	Selected Not selected	1 99	34 66	18 82		2 98	33 67	19 81	1 99	24 76	12 88	2 98	33 67	18 82		

<sup>\*</sup> Staff were asked to estimate the percentage of students who have 'seriously considered leaving their institution before graduation'.

				University			mark g	roup 1		nmark gro			hmark g		US	
		First	Later	All		First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	_	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Overall rating: Quality of academic	Poor	2	6	4		3	6	4	2	3	3	3	5	4	5	10
advising	Fair	17	20	19		19	24	22	18	22	20	19	24	22	17	21
3	Good	56	50	53		54	50	52	54	52	53	54	51	52	47	40
	Excellent	25	24	25		24	20	22	26	22	24	24	20	22	31	29
Overall rating: Educational	Poor	1	3	2		2	4	3	1	2	2	2	4	3	2	2
experience	Fair	13	15	14		15	20	18	13	14	13	15	20	17	11	12
·	Good	59	53	56		55	52	53	54	56	55	55	53	54	50	48
	Excellent	28	29	28		29	24	26	32	28	30	29	24	26	37	38
Attend same institution if starting	Definitely no	2	5	4		2	5	3	2	3	2	2	4	3	4	5
over	Probably no	8	9	9		10	15	13	7	10	8	9	15	12	12	13
	Probably yes	42	45	44		45	46	45	44	43	44	45	45	45	40	39
	Definitely yes	48	41	44		43	35	39	48	44	46	44	36	39	44	43



## **Australasian University**

Item Statistics Report
November 2009

#### This report shows summary descriptive statistics for each item.

Items are presented in the order in which they appear on the SEQ. The reporting metric for each item corresponds to the response scale, which is shown in the report.

Asked questions

Made presentation

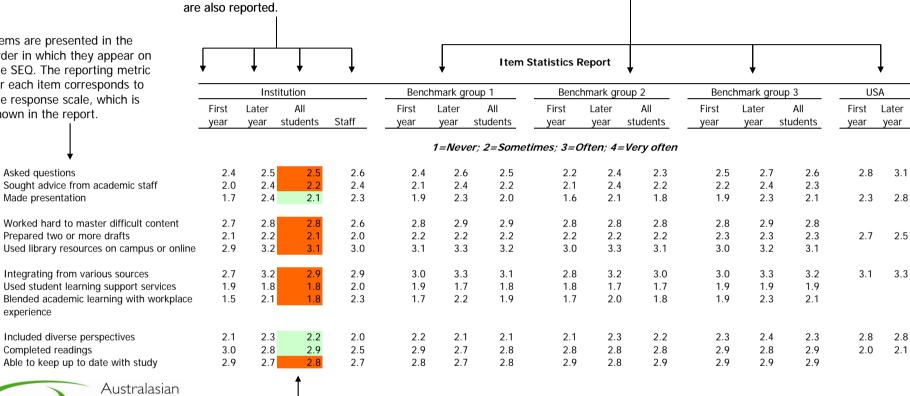
experience

Prepared two or more drafts

Integrating from various sources

Weighted means are given for first-year and later-year students, and for all students combined. Where appropriate, results of the AUSSE staff survey (SSES) are also reported.

Results are provided for your institution, your chosen benchmark groups (or the default option) and US institutions. USA figures are not available for all items.





Included diverse perspectives

Completed readings

Institutional results greater than those for all students in the first benchmark group are shaded in green. Results less than or equal to benchmark figures results are shaded red.

	А	ustralasia	n University	1	Bend	chmark	group 1	Bend	hmark	group 2	Benc	hmark	group 3	US	A
	First Later All				First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
				Studon	tc: 1_1	Voyor	2=Sometii	mac: 2-	-Oftor	. 1-1/oru	ofton				
			9				40% 3=41					4			
Asked questions	2.5	2.7	2.6	3.1	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.8	3.1
Sought advice from academic staff	2.2	2.5		2.7	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.1	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.5	2.4		
Made presentation	2.0	2.4		3.0	2.1	2.4	2.2	1.6	2.1	1.8	2.0	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.8
Worked hard to master difficult content	2.8	2.9		3.1	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9		
Prepared two or more drafts	2.3	2.3		2.7	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.7	2.5
Used library resources on campus or online	3.0	3.2	3.1	4.2	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.1		
Integrating from various sources	3.0	3.3	3.1	4.3	3.1	3.3	3.2	2.8	3.2	3.0	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.3
Used student learning support services	1.9	1.9		3.7	2.0	1.9	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.7	2.0	1.9	1.9		
Blended academic learning with workplace experience	1.9	2.2	2.0	3.5	1.9	2.3	2.1	1.7	1.9	1.8	1.9	2.3	2.1		
Included diverse perspectives	2.3	2.4	2.3	3.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.8	2.8
Completed readings	2.9	2.9		3.0	3.0	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	3.0	2.8	2.9	2.0	2.1
Able to keep up to date with study	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.4	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9		
Worked with students during class	2.4	2.5	2.4	3.6	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.6
Worked with students outside class	2.4	2.6		3.9	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.8
Put together ideas or concepts	2.4	2.6	2.5		2.5	2.6	2.6	2.3	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	3.0
Tutored other students	1.3	1.4	1.3		1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.7	1.9
Participated in a community-based project	1.3	1.5		3.5	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.7
Used an electronic medium for assignment	2.2	2.2	2.2	3.7	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.6	2.9
Used email or a forum to communicate with teaching staff	2.5	2.9		3.4	2.6	2.9	2.7	2.3	2.6	2.4	2.6	2.8	2.7	3.2	3.4
Discussed grades with teaching staff	1.8	2.1		2.8	1.9	2.1	2.0	1.6	1.8	1.7	1.9	2.1	2.0	2.6	2.8
Talked about career plans	1.5	1.8	1.7	2.4	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.7	1.6	2.2	2.4
Discussed ideas from your classes with teaching staff	1.6	1.8		2.0	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.9	2.1
Received feedback on academic performance	2.2	2.4		4.2	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.7	2.8
Worked harder than you thought you could	2.3	2.4	2.4	3.2	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.7	2.7

	A	Australasian University					c group 1	Ben	chmark	c group 2	Benc	hmark	USA		
	First year	Later year	All students	Staff	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students		Later year	All students	First year	Later year
				Studen	ts: <i>1=1</i>	Never;	2=Sometii	nes; 3	=Ofter	n; 4=Very	often				
			S	taff: 1=0	-20%	2=21-	40% 3=41	-60%	4=61-	-80% 5=8	1-100%	•			
Worked with teaching staff on other activities	1.3	1.4	1.3	2.1	1.3	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.4	1.3	1.6	1.8
Discussed ideas from your classes with others	2.6	2.7	2.6	4.0	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.9
Conversations with students of different ethnic group	2.7	2.8	2.7	4.0	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.7
Conversations with students who are very different	2.7	2.7		4.1	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.8
	1=Very little; 2=Some; 3=Quite a bit; 4=Very much														
Memorising facts	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.0	2.9	2.7	2.8	3.0	2.8	,	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.8
Analysing basic elements	3.0	3.2		3.3	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.2		3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.3
Synthesising and organising ideas	2.7	2.9		3.2	2.8	2.9		2.7	2.8		2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	3.1
Making judgements about value of information	2.7	2.9		3.1	2.8	2.9		2.6			2.8	2.9	2.8	2.9	3.0
Applying theories or concepts	2.9	3.2		3.3	3.0	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.1		3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.2
				1=N	one: 2:	=1 to 2	2; 3=3 to 4	: 4=5 t	06:5	=More tha	n 6				
One hour or less to complete	2.7	2.3	2.5	1.8	2.6	2.4		2.5	2.3		2.6	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.6
More than one hour to complete	2.7	2.6		1.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6			2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.3
Number of assigned textbooks	2.7	2.9		2.2	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8		2.8	2.8	2.8	3.3	3.2
Books for personal enjoyment or enrichment	2.3	2.5			2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.1	2.2
Assignments of <b>fewer than 1,000 words</b>	2.2	2.0	2.1	1.7	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.0	2.1	3.1	3.0
Assignments of between 1,000 and 5,000 words	2.3	2.5		1.9	2.3	2.6		2.1	2.6		2.3	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.6
Written assignments of more than 5,000 words	1.2	1.4		1.2	1.2	1.4		1.2			1.2	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.7
	1=Very little; 7=Very much														
Examinations have challenged to do best work	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	4.9	-	5.1	5.0		5.0	4.9	5.0	5.5	5.5

	Australasian University					chmark	group 1	Ben	chmark	group 2	Benc	hmark	USA		
	First year	Later year	All students	Staff	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year		All students	First year	Later year
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Exercise participation	2.6	2.6		2.3	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.8		2.6	2.6		2.8	2.7
Examined own views on a topic or issue	2.4	2.5		3.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.4		2.3	2.4	2.4	2.6	2.7
Improved knowledge to contribute to employability	2.6	2.8	2.7	3.4	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.7	2.7		
Developed communication skills relevant to discipline	2.6	2.8		3.7	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.6		2.6	2.7	2.7		
Explored how to apply learning in the workplace	2.2	2.5		3.2	2.3	2.6	2.5	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.5			
Tried to better understand someone else's views	2.6	2.8		3.2	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.9
Learned something that changed understanding	2.8	2.8	2.8	3.5	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.9	2.9
Kept your resume up-to-date	1.7	2.0	1.8		1.8	2.0	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.9		
Thought about how to present yourself to employers	2.2	2.4	2.3		2.2	2.4	2.3	1.9	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.4	2.3		
Explored where to look for jobs relevant to your interests	2.1	2.5	2.3		2.2	2.4	2.3	2.0	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.4	2.3		
Used networking to source information on job opportunities	1.8	2.2	2.0		1.9	2.1	2.0	1.8	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.0		
Set career development goals and plans	2.2	2.3			2.2	2.3	2.3	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.3	2.2		
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Practicum/internship	3.1	3.7		2.9	3.2	3.5	3.4	2.8	3.2		3.2	3.5		2.8	3.2
Industry placement or work experience	3.5	3.7		2.9	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.1	3.3		3.4	3.7	3.5		
Community service or volunteer work	3.2	3.5	3.4	2.1	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.0	3.2
Study group/learning community	3.3	3.4		2.7	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.3		3.2	3.3		2.3	2.5
Work on a research project	2.4	2.7		1.8	2.4	2.7	2.5	2.4	2.7		2.4	2.7	2.5	2.1	2.4
Foreign language	3.1	3.3	3.2	1.5	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	2.6	2.8
Study abroad or student exchange	2.8	3.0		1.6	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	3.0		2.9	2.9		2.2	2.3
Culminating final-year experience	2.6	3.0		2.6	2.6	2.9	2.7	2.6	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.9	2.7	2.1	2.9
Independent study or self-designed major	2.3	2.9		2.4	2.4	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.7		2.4	2.8		1.9	2.3
Consult a university careers service for advice	3.2	3.5		2.2	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.5		3.1	3.2			
Hold a leadership position in university or community	2.6	3.0	2.8	1.8	2.6	2.9	2.8	2.7	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.9	2.8		

	Australasian University					chmark	group 1	Ben	chmark	group 2	Bend	chmark	USA		
	First	Later	All		First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
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Relationships with other students	5.5	5.5			5.4	5.3	•	5.4	5.5		5.4	5.4	5.4	5.5	5.6
Relationships with teaching staff	5.3	5.3	5.3		5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.3	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.4
Relationships with administrative personnel and services	4.8	4.8	4.8		4.8	4.6	4.7	4.8	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.6
	1=None; 2=1 to 5; 3=6 to 10; 4=11 to 15; 5=16 to 20; 6=21 to 25; 7=26 to 30; 8=Over 3												=Over 30		
Preparing for class	3.6	3.6		4.0	3.5	3.6		3.5	3.6		3.5	3.6		4.2	4.2
Working for pay <b>on campus</b>	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.9	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.5	1.8
Working for pay off campus	3.1	3.5	3.3	2.5	3.2	3.9	3.6	2.1	2.4	2.3	3.1	3.8	3.5	2.4	3.7
Participating in extracurricular activities	1.9	2.1	2.0	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.3	2.1
Relaxing and socialising	3.9	3.7			4.0	3.8		4.2	4.2		4.0	3.8		3.8	3.5
Providing care for dependents	2.1	2.4			2.3	2.7	2.5	1.6	1.7	1.7	2.2	2.6		1.8	2.5
Managing personal business	2.9	3.2	3.1		3.0	3.3	3.1	2.6	2.9	2.7	2.9	3.3	3.1		
Travelling to campus	2.5	2.4			2.5	2.4		2.3	2.3		2.5	2.4		2.3	2.4
Being on campus, <b>including</b> time spent in class	4.9	4.6		4.7	4.8	4.2		5.2	5.4		4.9	4.3			
Being on campus, excluding time spent in class	3.0	3.0		2.9	2.9	2.7	2.8	3.0	3.5		2.9	2.8			
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Relationship of paid work to field of study	3.0	3.3			2.9	3.2		3.6			3.0	3.2	3.1		
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Spending significant time on academic work	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0		3.1	3.1		3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1
Providing support to succeed academically	2.9	2.7		3.1	2.9	2.7	2.8	3.0	2.7	2.9	2.9	2.7		3.1	2.9
Encouraging contact with students from different backgrounds	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.7	2.6
Helping to cope with non-academic responsibilities	1.8	1.8	1.8	2.1	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.8	1.9	1.7	1.8	2.3	2.0
Providing support to socialise	2.1	2.0		1.9	2.1	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.0	2.2	2.1	1.9	2.0	2.5	2.2
Attending campus events and activities	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.5	2.3	2.4	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.9	2.6
Using computers in academic work	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.3	3.5
Acquiring a broad general education	2.9	3.0		2.9	2.9	3.0	3.0	2.9	3.0	3.0	2.9	3.0		3.2	3.3
Acquiring job-related or work-related knowledge and skills	2.8	3.0	2.9	3.4	2.8	3.0	2.9	2.6	2.9	2.7	2.8	3.0	2.9	2.8	3.1

	Australasian University					chmark	group 1	Ben	chmark	group 2	Bend	hmark	USA		
	First Later All			First Later All		First Later All			First Later All			First Later			
	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
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Writing clearly and effectively	2.7	3.0	2.9	3.3	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.9	-	2.7	2.9	2.8	3.0	3.1
Speaking clearly and effectively	2.5	2.8		3.1	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.3	2.6	2.4	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.8	3.0
Thinking critically and analytically	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.7	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.4
Analysing quantitative problems	2.7	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.1
Using computing and information technology	2.8	2.9		3.0	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.9		2.8	3.0		3.1	3.2
Working effectively with others	2.8	2.9		3.2	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.8		2.8	2.8		3.0	3.2
Voting informedly in local, state or national elections	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.6	1.6	2.6	2.3
Learning effectively on your own	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.3	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1
Understanding yourself	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.8	2.8
Understanding people of other racial and ethnic backgrounds	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.7
Solving complex, real-world problems	2.6	2.8		3.3	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8
Developing a personal code of values and ethics	2.5	2.7	2.6	2.8	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.7	2.7
Contributing to the welfare of your community	2.2	2.3		2.5	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2		2.5	2.5
Securing relevant work after graduation	2.3	2.6	2.5	3.0	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.1	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.4		
	1=Selected; 2=No									,					
Not considered a change	1.3	1.2			1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3		1.3	1.3			
To improve career prospects	1.9	1.9			1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9		1.9	1.9			
For convenience or practical reasons	1.9	1.9	1.9		1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9		
For financial reasons or to reduce study costs	1.9	1.9	1.9		1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9		
To obtain better quality education	2.0	1.9	2.0		2.0	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9		
For academic reasons	1.9	1.9	1.9		1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9		
For other reasons	1.9	1.9	1.9		1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9		

_	Australasian University					chmark	group 1	Ben	chmark	group 2	Ben	chmark	USA		
<u>-</u>	First year	Later year	All students	Staff	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year
						1=Se	elected; 2=	Not se	lected						
Continue with current study	1.1	1.3	1.2		1.1	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.2		
Shift to another university	1.9	2.0	1.9		1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9		
Move to vocational education and training	2.0	2.0	2.0		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0		
Change to another qualification	1.9	2.0	1.9		1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9		
Leave university before finishing qualification	2.0	2.0	2.0		2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0		
Leave university having completed qualification	2.0	1.7	1.8		2.0	1.7	1.8	2.0	1.8	1.9	2.0	1.7	1.8		
					1=F	Poor; 2	?=Fair; 3=0	Good; 4	!=Exce	ellent					
Overall rating: Quality of academic advice	3.0	2.9	3.0		3.0	2.8	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.9	3.0	2.9
Overall rating: Educational experience	3.1	3.1	3.1		3.1	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.2
			1:	=Definite	elv no: 2	?=Prol	bably no; 3	=Proba	ablv ve	s: 4=Defin	nitelv v	es			
Attend same institution if starting over	3.4	3.2			3.3	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2



## **Australasian University**

Scale Statistics Report

#### The Scale Statistics Report shows descriptive statistics for each of the AUSSE scales.

Scale scores are calculated by converting item scores into a metric between 0 and 100, then taking the mean of items within each scale. While not the most psychometrically robust approach, this algorithm is transparent, parsimonious and faciliates reporting.

A great number of comparisons could be made between AUSSE scales, and many different 'statistically significant differences' could be reported. Statistical significance is a function of sample size, the level of confidence required in an inference and variation in the phenomenon being measured. The standard deviations of these scales range from 10 to 20 on the reporting scale, with an average of 15. As a guide, a difference of around 15 or more would likely be statistically significant with a sample size of 10, a difference of 7 or more with a sample size of 50, a difference of 5 or more with a sample size of 100, and a difference of 3.5 or more with a sample size of 200.

A number of 'effect size' scores are presented in this report. These represent the standardised difference between two groups' means. To facilitate interpretation the results have been reported on a metric that runs between ±100. An effect size difference of -11 between first and third year scores, for instance, means that the score for first-year students is -0.11 standard deviations below that of later-year students. By convention, an absolute effect size difference between 0 and 20 is considered 'small', between 20 and 50 'medium' and above 50 'large'.

Institution-specific comparisons:

- First year (first-year minus later-year)
- Later year (later-year minus first-year)
- All students (all students minus staff)
- Staff (staff minus all students)

#### Benchmark group comparisons:

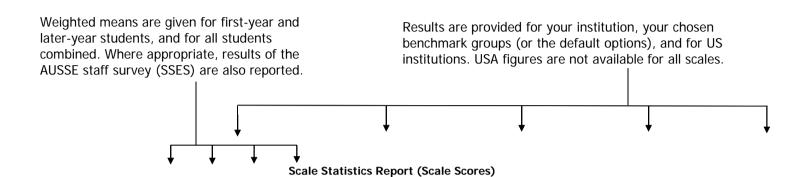
- First year (first-year institution minus first-year benchmark)
- Later year (later-year institution minus later-year benchmark)
- All students (total institution minus total benchmark)

#### **USA** comparisons

- First year (first-year institution minus first-year USA)
- Later year (later-year institution minus later-year USA)

Note that NSSE does not report combined USA year figures due to differences between these cohorts in the USA context. Unlike NSSE, AUSSE Academic Challenge scale results are not adjusted for attendance type. No NSSE results are available for the Work Integrated Learning scale, which is unique to the AUSSE. The six outcome measures Higher Order Thinking, General Learning Outcomes, General Development Outcomes, Career Readiness, Average Overall Grade, Departure Intention and Overall Satisfaction are also unique to the AUSSE.





		Insti	tution		Benc	hmark (	group 1	Benc	hmark ç	group 2	Benc	nmark g	group 3	U:	SA
	First	Later	All		First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Academic Challenge	15	10	37	14	10	30	37	45	42	41	10	37	10	53	57
Active Learning	22	22		37	22	22	44	65	62	63	22	44	22	43	51
Student and Staff Interactions	10	37	14	28	37	37	14	42	32	36	10	14	10	35	42
Enriching Educational Experiences	22	44	37	21	44	44	37	46	42	44	22	37	22	28	40
Supportive Learning Environment	33	11	28	37	11	11	28	41	38	39	33	28	33	61	58
Work Integrated Learning	35	8	21	28	8	8	21	10	25	18	35	21	35		
Higher Order Thinking	10	10	37	14	10	10	37	50	52	52	10	37	10		
General Learning Outcomes	22	22	44	37	22	22	44	46	42	43	22	44	22		
General Development Outcomes	10	37	14	28	37	37	14	63	68	66	10	14	10		
Average Overall Grade	79	76	78		69	72	70	65	68	67	22	37	22		
Departure Intention	33	11	28	25	11	11	11	19	10	16	33	28	33		
Overall Satisfaction	67	69	68	78	71	70	71	73	78	75	35	21	35		



#### The six engagement scales are made up of the following items on the SEO and SSEO:

#### **Academic Challenge**

- Worked harder than you thought you could to meet a teacher's standards or expectations
- Analysing the basic elements of an idea, experience or theory, such as examining a particular case or situation in depth and considering its components
- Synthesising and organising ideas, information or experiences into new, more complex interpretations and relationships
- Making judgements about the value of information, arguments or methods, such as examining how others gather and interpret data and assessing the soundness of their conclusions
- Applying theories or concepts to practical problems or in new situations
- Number of assigned textbooks, books or book-length packs of subject readings
- Number of written essays or reports of fewer than 1,000 words
- Number of written essays or reports of between 1,000 and 5,000 words
- Number of written essays or reports of more than 5,000 words
- Preparing for class (studying, reading, writing, doing homework or lab work, analysing data, rehearsing and other academic activities)
- Spending significant amounts of time studying and on academic work

#### **Active Learning**

- Asked questions in class or contributed to online discussions
- Made a class or online presentation
- Worked with other students on projects during class
- Worked with other students outside class to prepare assignments
- Tutored or taught other university students (paid or voluntary)
- Participated in a community-based project (e.g. volunteering) as part of your study
- Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with others outside class (students, family members, co-workers, etc.)



#### Student and Staff Interactions

- Discussed your grades or assignments with teaching staff
- Talked about your career plans with teaching staff or advisors
- Discussed ideas from your readings or classes with teaching staff outside class
- Received prompt written or oral feedback from teachers on your academic performance
- Worked with teaching staff on activities other than coursework (committees, orientation, student organisations, etc.)
- Work on a research project with a staff member outside of coursework requirements

#### **Enriching Educational Experiences**

- Used an electronic medium for assignment
- Conversations with students of different ethnic group
- Conversations with students who are very different
- Practicum/internship
- Community service
- Learning community/study group
- Foreign language
- Study abroad or student exchange
- Culminating final-year experience
- Independent study or self-designed major
- Participating in extracurricular activities
- Encouraging contact with people of different backgrounds

#### **Supportive Learning Environment**

- Relationships with other students
- Relationships with teaching staff
- Relationships with administrative personnel and offices
- Providing the support you need to help you succeed academically
- Helping you cope with your non-academic responsibilities (work, family, etc.)
- Providing the support you need to socialise

#### Work Integrated Learning

- Blended academic learning with workplace experience
- Improved knowledge and skills that will contribute to your employability
- Explored how to apply your learning in the workplace
- Industry placement or work experience
- Acquiring job or work-related knowledge and skills

#### The seven outcomes measures are made up of the following items on the SEQ and SSEQ:

#### **Higher Order Thinking**

- Analysing the basic elements of an idea, experience or theory, such as examining a particular case or situation in depth and considering its components
- Synthesising and organising ideas, information or experiences into new, more complex interpretations and relationships
- Making judgements about the value of information, arguments or methods, such as examining how others gather and interpret data and assessing the soundness of their conclusions
- Applying theories or concepts to practical problems or in new situations

#### **General Learning Outcomes**

- Acquiring a broad general education
- Acquiring job-related or work-related knowledge and skills
- Writing clearly and effectively
- Speaking clearly and effectively
- Thinking critically and analytically
- Analysing quantitative problems
- Using computing and information technology
- Learning effectively on your own
- Working effectively with others

#### **General Development Outcomes**

- Voting informedly in local, state or national elections
- Understanding yourself
- Understanding people of other racial and ethnic backgrounds
- Solving complex, real-world problems
- Developing a personal code of values and ethics
- Contributing to the welfare of your community



#### **Career Readiness**

- Kept your resume up-to-date
- Thought about how to present yourself to employers
- Explored where to look for jobs relevant to your interests
- Used networking to source information on job opportunities
- Set career development goals and plans

#### **Average Overall Grade**

- Which category best represents your average overall grade so far?

#### **Departure Intention**

- No, I have not considered a change (reverse coded)
- Yes, to improve career prospects
- Yes, for convenience or practical reasons
- Yes, for financial reasons or to reduce study costs
- Yes, to obtain better quality education
- Yes, for academic reasons
- Yes, another reason
- Continue with current study (reverse coded)
- Move to vocational education and training
- Leave university before finishing qualification

#### **Overall Satisfaction**

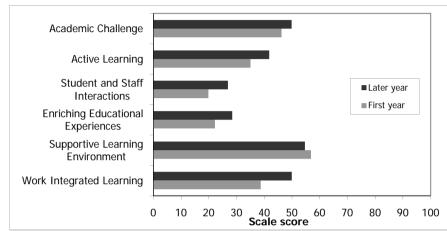
- Overall, how would you evaluate the quality of academic advice that you have received at your institution?
- How would you evaluate your entire educational experience at this institution?
- If you could start over again, would you go to the same institution you are now attending?

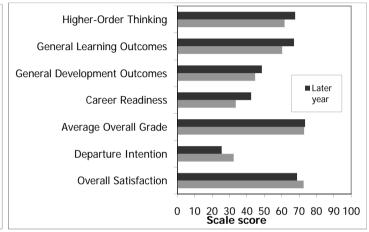
# Australasian Survey of Student Engagement (AUSSE) Australasian University Scale Statistics Report (scale scores)

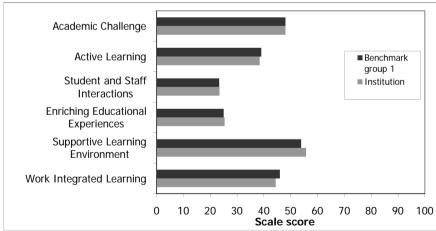
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	First	Later	All		First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	<u>year</u>	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Academic Challenge	46	50	48	50	47	49	48	45	49	47	47	49	48	54	57
Active Learning	35	42	38	45	37	41	39	31	38	34	37	40	39	43	51
Student and Staff Interactions	20	27	23	32	21	25	23	17	23	20	20	25	23	35	42
Enriching Educational Experiences	22	28	25	26	23	27	25	23	26	24	23	27	25	28	
Supportive Learning Environment	57	55	56	56	56	52	54	57	54	56	56	52	54	62	58
Work Integrated Learning	39	50	44	64	40	51	46	33	42	37	40	50	45		
Higher Order Thinking	62	68	65	75	64	67	66	60	66	63	64	67	65		
General Learning Outcomes	60	67	64	73	61	65	63	58	64	61	61	65	63		
General Development Outcomes	45	49	47	50	43	46	45	42	46	44	43	46	45		
Career Readiness	34	42	38		35	41	38	29	35	32	34	41	38		
Average Overall Grade	73	73	73		73	72	72	74	74	74	73	72	73		
Departure Intention	32	26	29	17	30	30		31	30	31	30	30	30		
Overall Satisfaction	73	69	71	53	71	66	68	73	70	72	71	66	68		

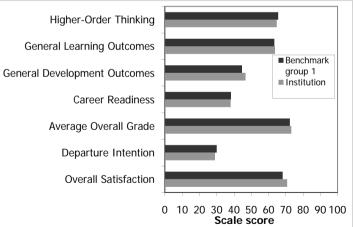
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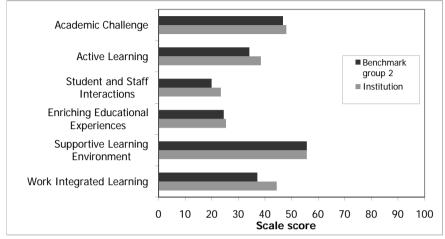
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	First	Later	All		First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later
	year	year	students	Staff	year	year	students	_year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year
Academic Challenge	-30	30	-13	13	-5	6	0	12	7	10	-4	6	1	-58	-54
Active Learning	-43	43	-36	36	-14	7	-4	28	26	28	-10	8	-1	-52	-54
Student and Staff Interactions	-44	44	-61	61	-6	8	1	17	27	23	-4	10	2	-88	-80
Enriching Educational Experiences	-50	50	-9	9	-6	11	3	-11	21	7	-6	12	3	-47	-77
Supportive Learning Environment	13	-13	-13	13	5	15	11	-2	3	0	4	14	10	-27	-20
Work Integrated Learning	-52	52	-88	88	-8		-7	30		34	-4	0	-3		
Higher Order Thinking	-28	28	-45	45	-12	5	-4	7	8	8	-10	5	-3		
General Learning Outcomes	-37	37	-58	58	-5	11	2	13		15	-4	11	3		
General Development Outcomes	-17	17	-25	25	6	13	9	11	12	12	6	13	9		
Career Readiness	-38	38			-5	4	-1	20		26	-2	7	2		
Average Overall Grade	-5	5			3	13	8	-12	-10	-11	2	11	6		
Departure Intention	15	-15	37	-37	5		-2	2	-10	-4	5	-10	-2		
Overall Satisfaction	18	-18	71	-71	8	14	12	-3	-6	-5	7	12	11		

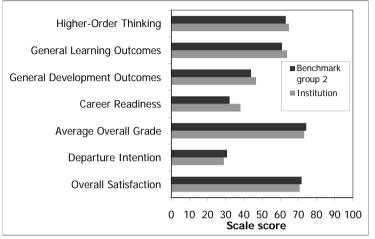


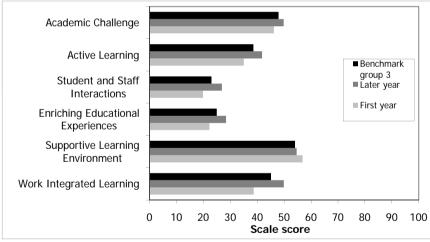


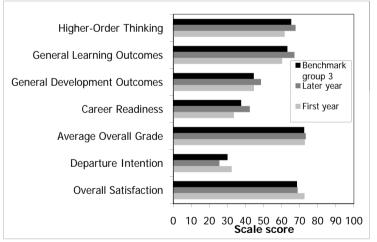


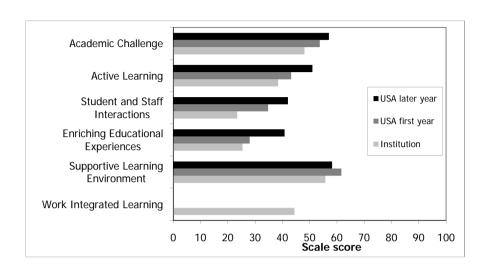














#### **Australasian University**

Subgroup Statistics Report November 2009

This report shows subgroup descriptive statistics for each of the AUSSE scales.

Weighted means are given for firstyear and later-year students, and for all students combined.

Results are provided for your institution and your chosen benchmark groups (or the default option). USA subgroup figures are not reported.



	Institut	ion	Ben	chmark (	group 1	Ben	chmark (	group 2	Ben	chmark (	group 3
First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students
43	44	44	47	44	47	45	48	45	46	47	46

Age Under 20 20 or over	43 32	44 50	44 48	47 45	44 49	47 49	45 45	48 49	45 48	46 46	47 48	46 48
Gender Male Female	39 45	46 51	43 48	45 48	47 50	46 49	44 45	47 51	46 48	44 47	47 49	45 48
International Yes No	41 43	54 48	50 46	44 47	51 48	48 48	48 45	49 49	49 47	48 46	48 48	48 47



**Academic Challenge** 

Institutional results greater than those for all students in the first benchmark group are shaded in green. Results less than or equal to benchmark figures results are shaded red. Scale scores are calculated by taking the mean of items within a scale and converting these into a metric that runs from 0 to 100.

	Austral	asian Univer	sity	Beno	chmark g	roup 1	Beno	:hmark gi	roup 2	Benc	hmark g	roup 3
	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
Academic Challenge												
Age Under 20 20 or over	46 47	5° 50	1 47 0 49	47 47	48 49	47 49	45 45	48 49		46 47	48 49	47 49
Gender Male Female	45 46	50 50	0 48 0 48	45 48	47 50	46 49	44 45	47 51	46 48	45 48	47 50	46 49
International Yes No	45 46	5° 50	1 49 0 48	49 47	49 49	49 48	48 45	49 49		48 47	49 49	
Indigenous Yes No	48 46	4º 50		47 47	52 49	50 48	42 45	43 49		46 47	52 49	
Main home language English Language other than English	47 41	50 51	0 48 1 47	47 47	49 49	48 48	45 46	49 48	47 47	47 47	49 49	
First in family Yes No	45 47	4º 50		47 46	49 49	49 48	45 45	49 49		47 46	49 49	
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	47 47 44	50 50 41	0 49	47 47 45	49 49 47	48 48 46				47 47 45	49 49 47	48
Disability Yes No	47 46	50 50		48 47	52 49	50 48	46 45	46 49		48 47	51 49	

- -	Austra	lasian Univers	sity	Ben	chmark gr	oup 1	Beno	:hmark gi	roup 2	Benc	hmark g	roup 3
	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
_	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
Field of education												
Sciences	43	49		45	48	46	40	47	44	44	48	
IT	38	40		42	45	43	41	45	43	42	45	
Engineering	45	52		45	47	46	44	51	47	45	47	
Architecture	45	60		48	46	47	52	51	52	48	47	
Agriculture	42	55		46	51	49	43	48	45	45	50	
Health	47	51		47	50	49	43	49	46	47	50	
Education	49	48		49	51	50	50	54	52	49	51	
Business	44	48		45	47	46	45	49	47	45	47	
Humanities	49	51		49	52	51	47	49	48	49	52	
Creative arts	47	46	47	47	49	48	45	51	48	47	49	48
Attendance type												
Part time	45	46		44	47	46	44	47	45	44	47	
Full time	46	50	48	47	50	49	45	49	47	47	50	48
Mode of study												
External/distance	45	50	48	47	49	49	47	47	47	47	49	49
Campus-based	46	50		47	49	48	45	49		47	49	
Main way of financing study												
Government funded	47	50	48	47	49	48	45	49	47	47	49	48
Student fees	44	50		47	48	48	44	49		47	48	
University financial support												
Yes	47	53	50	48	51	50	46	51	48	48	51	50
No	46	49		47	49	48	44	49	47	47	49	
	40	7,	40	77	77	40		77	77	77	77	10
Average overall grade												
Less than 60%	40	47		44	45	44	43	42	42	44	44	44
Equal to or greater than 60%	47	50	49	47	50	49	45	50	47	47	50	) 49
Proportion of study online												
No study online	45	51		45	47	46	44	48		45	48	
Some or all of study online	46	50	48	47	49	48	45	49	47	47	49	48
Live on campus												
Yes	47	50		47	48	48	45	50		46	48	
No	46	50	48	47	49	48	45	49	48	47	49	48

	Australasian University		Bend	chmark g	roup 1	Ber	nchmark g	roup 2	Benc	hmark gr	oup 3	
	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students
Active Learning												
Age Under 20 20 or over	36 34	4. 4.		38 36	43 40	39 39			32 36	37 35	43 40	
Gender Male Female	37 34	4.	2 40 1 38	37 37	40 41	39 39	33 30		35 34	37 37	40 41	
International Yes No	38 35	4 4		38 37	41 41	40 39				38 37	41 40	
Indigenous Yes No	35 35	2'	7 32 2 39	35 37	42 41	40 39				35 37	42 40	
Main home language English Language other than English	35 34	4	1 38 3 40	37 38	41 41	39 40	37		34 35	37 37	40 41	
First in family Yes No	34 36	4		37 37	39 42	38 40				37 37	39 41	38 39
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	37 36 18	4: 4: 3:	2 39	37 37 32	41 39 35	40 38 33				37 37 32	41 39 35	38
Disability Yes No	32 35	4. 4.		38 37	40 41	39 39				38 37	40 41	

·	Austra	lasian Univers	sity	Ben	chmark gr	oup 1	Beno	chmark g	roup 2	Benc	hmark g	roup 3
	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
_	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
Field of education												
Sciences	34	39		33	39	36	29	36		33	38	
IT	35	39		35	37	36	28	36		34	37	
Engineering	40	48		38	39	39	37	37		38	39	
Architecture	36	48		41	39	40	39	46		41	40	
Agriculture	30	39		37	44	41	30	35		35	43	
Health	38	45		39	43	41	30	43		38	43	
Education	37	48		41	46	44	38	43		41	46	
Business	32	40		36	39	38	31	40		36	39	
Humanities	32	38		35	38	36	29	33		34	37	
Creative arts	40	41	40	40	44	42	35	45	39	39	44	42
Attendance type												
Part time	29	32	31	30	33	32	28	34	30	30	33	
Full time	36	43	40	38	43	40	31	38	35	37	42	40
Mode of study												
External/distance	25	39	33	30	34	33	31	36	33	30	34	33
Campus-based	37	42	39	38	43	40	31	38		37	42	40
Main way of financing study												
Government funded	35	41	38	37	41	39	32	38	35	37	41	39
Student fees	34	45		37	40	39	29	37		36	40	
University financial support	2/	45	40	20	4.4	40	22	41	27	20	4.4	44
Yes	36 35	45		39	44	42 39	33	41		38	44	
No	35	41	38	37	40	39	31	38	34	36	40	38
Average overall grade												
Less than 60%	32	34	33	34	35	34	29	33	30	33	35	34
Equal to or greater than 60%	35	43	39	38	41	40	31	38	35	37	41	39
Proportion of study online												
No study online	34	43	39	37	42	39	30	37		37	41	
Some or all of study online	35	41	38	37	41	39	31	38	34	37	40	39
Live on campus												
Yes	34	42		39	41	40	32	40		37	41	
No	35	42	39	37	41	39	31	38	35	37	40	39

<u>-</u>	Australasian University		Bend	chmark g	roup 1	Ben	chmark g	roup 2	Benc	hmark gr	oup 3	
_	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students
Student and Staff Interactions												
Age Under 20 20 or over	19 22	2 2		20 22	24 26	21 25	17 19		17 22	20 21	24 25	
Gender Male Female	23 19	2 2	9 26 6 22	21 20	27 25	24 23	19 16		20 20	21 20	26 24	24 22
International Yes No	22 20	3 2		25 20	30 25	29 23	24 17			25 20	30 24	
Indigenous Yes No	17 20	1 2		21 21	29 25	26 23	22 17		23 20	21 20	29 25	
Main home language English Language other than English	20 21	2 3	6 23 1 27	20 24	25 29	23 27	17 21	22 27	19 24	20 24	24 29	
First in family Yes No	19 20	2 2	6 23 7 24	21 21	24 27	23 24	17 18		19 20	21 20	24 26	
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	21 19 13	2		21 21 19	25 25 23	23 23 21				21 21 19	25 25 23	23
Disability Yes No	21 20	3 2	1 26 7 23	24 20	29 25	27 23	22 17		24 20	24 20	28 25	26 23

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	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
<u>-</u>	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
Field of education												
Sciences	20	29		19	28	23	15	24	19	19	27	
IT	14	28		20	26	23	16	21	19	19	25	
Engineering	17	30		18	23	21	15	20	17	18	23	
Architecture	22	28		22	22	22	21	24	22	22	23	
Agriculture	18	26	21	21	29	25	18	22	20	21	28	
Health	22	29		21	26	23	16	22	19	21	25	
Education	24	26		22	25	24	20	27	24	22	25	
Business	16	26		20	25	23	17	22	20	19	24	
Humanities	19	24	22	21	25	23	18	21	19	20	24	22
Creative arts	24	27	25	23	29	26	23	29	26	23	29	26
Attendance type												
Part time	22	25	24	19	22	21	19	21	20	19	22	
Full time	20	27	23	21	26	24	17	23	20	21	26	23
Mode of study												
External/distance	16	24	21	19	23	22	21	24	22	19	23	22
Campus-based	20	27		21	26	23	17	23	20	20	26	23
·												
Main way of financing study	0.0	0.4	0.0	00	0.5	0.0	4.0	00	0.0	0.0		00
Government funded	20	26	23	20	25	23	18	22	20	20	25	22
Student fees	19	32	25	21	27	25	17	24	20	21	27	25
University financial support												
Yes	22	30	27	22	30	27	18	27	21	22	30	
No	19	26	23	21	25	23	17	22	19	20	25	23
Average overall grade												
Less than 60%	20	21	20	20	24	22	17	21	18	20	23	22
Equal to or greater than 60%	20	28	24	21	26	23	17	23	20	20	25	23
. 5					20		• •		20			
Proportion of study online	40	0.0	2.1		0.5	00	47	0.4	40	40	0.5	00
No study online	18	28	24	20	25	22	17	21	19	19	25	
Some or all of study online	20	27	23	21	25	23	17	23	20	21	25	23
Live on campus												
Yes	18	30	21	22	28	24	17	28	18	20	28	23
No	20	27	24	20	25	23	18	22	21	20	25	23

-	Australa	asian Univer	sity	Ben	chmark g	roup 1	Ben	chmark g	roup 2	Ве	nchmark	group 3
_	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students
Enriching Educational Experier	nces											
Age Under 20 20 or over	23 20	28 28	3 24 3 26	24 21	27 27		24 23		24 25		4 2 2 2	6 24 7 26
Gender Male Female	23 22	28 29	3 26 9 25	22 23	26 28	24 26	22 25	24 27	23 26	2	2 2 4 2	6 24 8 26
International Yes No	19 22	3 <sup>4</sup> 28		25 23	28 27		28 23			2	5 2 3 2	8 28 7 25
Indigenous Yes No	21 22	19 29		21 23	27 27	25 25	28 23				1 2 3 2	
Main home language English Language other than English	22 23	27 34		23 25	27 28		23 26		24 28	2	3 2 5 2	7 25 8 27
First in family Yes No	21 23	27 30	7 24 0 26	22 23	26 28		23 24		23 25			6 24 8 26
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	22 22 19	29 28 19	3 24	23 23 21	27 26 27	24					3 2	7 25 6 24 7 24
Disability Yes No	19 22	29 28		25 23	28 27	27 25	24 23			2	5 2 3 2	8 27 7 25

- -	Austral	Australasian University		Ben	chmark g	roup 1	Bend	:hmark gr	oup 2	Benc	hmark g	roup 3
	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
-	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
Field of education												
Sciences	24	26	25	22	27	24	24	25	24	22	26	
IT	23	33		20	22	22	19	21	20	20	22	
Engineering	23	28		23	25	24	21	26	23	23	25	
Architecture	16	31		22	24	23	21	22	21	21	24	
Agriculture	21	26		23	29	26	21	27	23	23	28	
Health	24	32		25	30	27	27	32	29	25	30	
Education	25	32	28	23	30	27	27	32	30	24	30	
Business	18	27		22	25	24	23	25	24	22	25	
Humanities	22	28	25	23	27	25	24	24	24	23	26	25
Creative arts	21	25	23	21	25	23	22	24	23	21	25	23
Attendance type												
Part time	16	21		19	22	21	23	23	23	19	22	
Full time	23	29	26	23	28	26	24	26	25	23	28	26
Mode of study												
External/distance	17	28	24	20	25	24	23	26	24	21	25	24
Campus-based	23	28	26	23	28	25	24	26	25	23	27	25
•				20								
Main way of financing study												
Government funded	22	27	25	23	27	25	24	25	25	23	27	
Student fees	22	31	27	23	27	25	23	26	24	23	27	25
University financial support												
Yes	23	29	27	24	30	27	25	28	26	24	30	
No	22	28	25	22	26	25	23	25	24	22	26	25
Average overall grade												
Less than 60%	22	24	23	21	23	22	23	23	23	22	23	22
Equal to or greater than 60%	22	29	26	23	27	25	24	26	25	23	27	25
Drapartian of study aplina												
Proportion of study online No study online	19	29	24	22	26	24	22	24	23	22	26	24
	23	28		23	27	25	24	26	25 25	23	27	
Some or all of study online	23	20	20	23	21	25	24	20	23	23	21	25
Live on campus												
Yes	25	31	26	26	31	28	24	31	25	25	31	
No	21	28	25	23	27	25	23	25	24	23	27	25

_	Australasian University		Beno	chmark g	roup 1	Beno	:hmark gi	roup 2	Benc	hmark gi	roup 3	
_	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students
Supportive Learning Environme	ent											
Age Under 20 20 or over	57 56	53 55	57 55	56 56	54 52	56 53	58 55	53 54		56 56	54 52	56 53
Gender Male Female	59 56	56 54	57 55	56 56	52 52	54 54	58 57	53 55	56 56	56 56	52 52	54 54
International Yes No	58 57	63 54	61 55	56 56	56 51	56 54	57 57	54 54		56 56	56 52	
Indigenous Yes No	63 57	42 55	<b>54</b> 56	57 56	53 52	54 54	66 57	51 54		57 56	53 52	54 54
Main home language English Language other than English	57 58	54 60	55 59	56 56	51 55	54 56	57 58	54 55		56 57	52 55	
First in family Yes No	56 58	55 55	55 56	56 56	52 53	54 54	58 57	53 55		57 56	52 53	
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	57 54 55	55 54 51	56 54 54	56 57 56	52 52 53	54 54 55				56 57 56	52 52 53	54
Disability Yes No	52 57	55 55	54 56	56 56	52 52	54 54	56 57	49 55		56 56	52 52	

-	Austral	asian Univers	ity	Ben	chmark gr	oup 1	Beno	chmark g	roup 2	Benc	hmark gr	oup 3
	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
-	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	<u>year</u>	year	students
Field of education												
Sciences	56	55	55	57	54	55	58	55		57	54	56
IT .	56	56	56	54	51	52	53	50		54	51	52
Engineering Architecture	58 56	56 56	57 56	56 56	50 49	53 53	56 59	53 51	55 56	56 56	50 49	53 53
Agriculture	59	63	61	60	56	58	61	51 59		60	56	58
Health	61	55	58	58	53	55 55	59	58		58	53	56
Education	56	54	55	57	51	54	57	54		57	51	54
Business	52	55	54	55	53	53	56	54		55	53	53
Humanities	55	54	54	55	51	53	56	52	55	56	51	53
Creative arts	60	54	58	54	52	53	58	56	57	54	52	53
Attendance type												
Part time	52	52	52	53	49	51	58	52	55	54	49	51
Full time	57	55	56	56	53	55	57	54	56	56	53	
Mode of study												
External/distance	51	51	51	54	50	51	58	53	56	54	50	51
Campus-based	57	55	56	56	53	54	57	54	56	56	53	
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Main way of financing study				- /		- 4			<b>-</b> /	F.		
Government funded Student fees	57 57	53 62	55 59	56 55	51 54	54 54	57 56	55 53		56 55	52 54	54 54
Student rees	57	02	59	33	54	54	30	53	55	55	54	34
University financial support												
Yes	57	56	56	57	54	56	59	56	58	57	55	56
No	57	54	56	56	52	54	57	54	55	56	52	54
Average overall grade												
Less than 60%	57	54	56	53	48	50	54	50	52	53	48	
Equal to or greater than 60%	57	55	56	57	53	54	58	55	56	57	53	55
Proportion of study online												
No study online	56	55	55	56	52	54	55	52	53	56	52	54
Some or all of study online	57	55	56	56	52	54	58	55	56	56	52	
Livo on campus												
Live on campus Yes	58	54	57	60	55	58	59	59	59	60	56	58
No	56	55	55	56	52	54	55	54		56	52	
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_	Austral	asian Univer	sity	Beno	chmark g	roup 1	Bend	chmark g	roup 2	Beno	hmark g	roup 3
	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students
Work Integrated Learning	yeai	yeai	students	yeai	yeai	students	yeai	yeai	students	<u>year</u>	yeai	students
Age Under 20 20 or over	37 44	48 50		39 44	46 51	40 50	31 39	39 42		38 44	4 <i>6</i> 50	
Gender Male Female	40 38	47 50		39 41	48 52	44 47	33 33	41 42		38 40	48 52	43 46
International Yes No	39 39	4! 51		38 41	42 52		33 33	42 42		37 40		
Indigenous Yes No	52 39	63 50		41 40	56 50		35 33	32 42		41 40	5 <i>6</i> 50	
Main home language English Language other than English	40 35	5 <sup>-</sup> 4!		41 37	52 44	47 41	33 34	42 42	37 38	40 37	51 44	
First in family Yes No	41 37	5° 4°		42 39	52 50		34 32	42 41		41 39	51 49	
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	40 40 45	50 60 50	47	40 43 42	50 54 57	45 49 49				40 43 42	50 54 57	49
Disability Yes No	38 39	44 5		42 40	51 51	47 46	34 33	38 42		41 40	50 50	

	Austral	Australasian University		Ben	chmark g	roup 1	Beno	chmark g	roup 2	Benc	hmark g	roup 3
	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
Field of education												
Sciences	31	40		32	44	38	28	34		32	43	
IT	22	37		36	45	41	30	43		36	45	
Engineering	38	53		37	49	44	32	53		37	50	
Architecture	32	60		43	51	47	37	44	40	42	50	
Agriculture	44	59	50	40	51	46	42	51	45	41	51	
Health	42	62		47	61	54	34	52		46	61	
Education	55	62		50	63	57	50	64		50	63	
Business	41	49		41	47	45	37	44		40	47	
Humanities	32	43		34	44	40	29	34		34	43	39
Creative arts	41	40	41	37	46	42	38	40	39	37	46	42
Attendance type												
Part time	47	48		43	52	49	38	44		43	51	
Full time	38	50	44	40	51	45	33	42	37	39	50	45
Mode of study												
External/distance	46	57	52	46	55	52	42	49	45	45	55	52
Campus-based	38	49	43	40	49	45	32	41	37	39	49	44
Main way of financing study												
Government funded	39	50	44	41	52	47	33	41	37	40	51	46
Student fees	40	50		40	47	44	34	43	38	39	47	
University financial support												
Yes	42	58	52	40	53	47	35	46	39	39	53	46
No	38	48		40	50	46	32	41	36	40	49	
Average overall grade												
Less than 60%	38	44	41	37	42	39	31	34	32	36	42	39
Equal to or greater than 60%	39	51		41	52	47	33	42		40	51	
Proportion of study online												
No study online	34	49	41	38	48	43	31	41	36	37	47	42
Some or all of study online	40	50		41	51	47	33	42	37	40	51	
Live on campus												
Yes	36	47	39	40	46	42	32	44	33	37	46	40
No	40	50		40	51	46	34	42		40	50	
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	Australasian University		Bend	chmark g	roup 1	Bend	chmark gi	roup 2	Bencl	nmark gr	oup 3	
	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students
Higher Order Thinking												
Age Under 20 20 or over	62 60	69	9 63 8 66	65 63	67 67	65 66	60 59		61 65	65 62	67 67	65 66
Gender Male Female	59 62	6 <sup>-</sup>		63 65	64 69	64 67	60 60			62 65	64 69	63 67
International Yes No	60 62	66	6 64 8 65	66 64	65 67	66 66	65 60			66 64	65 67	66 65
Indigenous Yes No	52 62	70 68	0 60 8 65	63 64	68 67	66 66	51 60	59 66		63 64	68 67	66 65
Main home language English Language other than English	63 53	68 6	8 65 7 62	64 64	67 66	66 65	60 62			64 64	67 66	66 65
First in family Yes No	58 64	60 60		64 64	67 67	66 66	59 61	66 66		64 64	67 67	65 65
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	63 63 58	69 60 48	64	65 63 62	67 66 64	66 65 63				65 63 62	67 66 64	66 65 63
Disability Yes No	63 62	69		65 64	69 67	67 66	64 60			65 64	68 67	67 65

	Austral	Australasian University		Ben	chmark gi	oup 1	Bend	:hmark gi	roup 2	Benc	hmark gr	oup 3
	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
Field of education												
Sciences	54	65	60	61	66	63	54	62	58	60	65	63
IT	60	42		60	62	61	57	64		59	62	61
Engineering	66	70		65	63	64	65	68		65	64	64
Architecture	58	73		66	62	64	67	68		67	62	64
Agriculture	48	78		61	67	64	58	62		60	67	64
Health	61	69		64	69	66	56	69		64	69	66
Education	63	65		66	67	66	62	71	66	65	67	66
Business	61	64		62	63	63	60	66		62	64	63
Humanities	66	72	69	67	72	70	63	66	65	67	71	69
Creative arts	67	62	65	65	66	66	60	67	63	65	66	66
Attendance type												
Part time	64	63		60	64	63	60	64		60	64	63
Full time	61	68	65	65	68	66	60	66	63	64	67	66
Mode of study												
External/distance	60	67	64	62	67	65	61	63	62	62	67	65
Campus-based	62	68		65	67	66	60	66	63	64	67	65
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Main way of financing study	/ 2	40	/ [		/7	//	/1	,,			/7	//
Government funded	63	68		64	67	66	61	66		64	67 65	66
Student fees	58	66	62	64	65	65	59	65	62	64	65	65
University financial support												
Yes	59	70		66	69	68	61	69		65	69	67
No	62	68	65	64	67	66	60	66	63	64	66	65
Average overall grade												
Less than 60%	50	63	56	60	60	60	55	57	56	60	60	60
Equal to or greater than 60%	63	69	66	65	68	67	61	67	64	65	68	66
Proportion of study online												
No study online	58	70	64	62	64	63	58	65	61	62	64	63
Some or all of study online	62	68		65	67	66	61	67		64	67	66
Live on campus												
Yes	60	72	63	65	65	65	60	68	60	63	66	64
No	62	68		64	67	66	61	66		64	67	66
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	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
_	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
<b>General Learning Outcomes</b>												
Age Under 20 20 or over	60 61	7! 6		61 62	65 65		58 58	59 65		61 61	65 65	
Gender Male Female	61 60	6 <sup>1</sup>	9 65 7 63	60 62	64 66	62 64	59 58	63 65	61 61	60 62	64 66	62
International Yes No	51 61	6		62 61	65 65	64 63	62 58	63 64		62 61	65 65	
Indigenous Yes No	65 60	6		61 61	68 65	66 63	66 58	51 64		62 61	68 65	
Main home language English Language other than English	61 54	6		61 62	65 65	63 64	58 60	64 63		61 62	65 65	63 64
First in family Yes No	60 60	66		62 61	65 65	64 63	59 57	64 64		62 60		64 63
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	61 62 61	6 6 5	8 64	61 61 60	65 65 65	64 63 63				61 60	65 65	63
Disability Yes No	55 61	6		61 61	65 65	63 63	58 58	62 64		60 61	64 65	

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	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
<u>-</u>	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
Field of education												
Sciences	56	69	63	59	66	62	57	63		58	65	
IT	51	53		59	62	61	55	61	58	59	62	
Engineering	60	73	67	62	65	63	63	70		62	65	64
Architecture	49	81	61	62	61	62	62	70		62	62	
Agriculture	60	73		61	70	66	59	65		60	69	65
Health	61	67	64	63	66	64	56	66		63	66	
Education	64	61	63	63	66	65	63	68		63	66	
Business Humanities	60	68	64	59	64 67	62	61	65		60	64	62
Creative arts	62 61	67 61	65 61	61 61	64	64 62	57 58	63 63		60 61	66 64	64 62
Creative arts	01	01	01	01	04	02	36	03	60	01	04	02
Attendance type												
Part time	56	68	62	58	63	61	57	62	59	58	62	61
Full time	61	67	64	62	66	64	58	64	61	61	66	64
Made of study												
Mode of study External/distance	EO	67	64	41	4 5	64	40	4.5	62	41	4 5	4.1
Campus-based	58 61	67	64	61 61	65 65	63	60 58	65 64		61 61	65 65	
Campus-baseu	01	07	04	01	03	03	50	04	01	01	03	03
Main way of financing study												
Government funded	61	67		61	66	64	58	65		61	65	63
Student fees	56	70	63	61	64	63	57	62	59	60	64	62
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University financial support	/0	70	//	/2	/7	/ [	Γ0.	/7	/ 2	/2	/7	7.5
Yes No	60 60	70 67		63 61	67 64	65 63	59 58	67 64		62 61	67 64	65 63
NO	60	67	03	01	04	03	36	04	01	01	04	03
Average overall grade												
Less than 60%	59	67	62	57	59	58	54	58	56	57	59	58
Equal to or greater than 60%	60	67	64	62	66	64	59	65	62	62	66	
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Proportion of study online	Ε0		(2)	Ε0.	/ 2	/1		(2	/0	F0.	(2	/1
No study online	58	65 68		59	62	61	55 59	63		59	63	
Some or all of study online	61	68	64	62	66	64	59	65	62	61	66	64
Live on campus												
Yes	60	66	62	62	64	62	59	64	59	61	64	62
No	60	67	64	61	65	63	58	64		61	65	63

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_	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students
General Development Outcome	s											
Age Under 20 20 or over	46 42	51 48	46 47	44 42	44 46	44 45	42 41	40 46		43 42	44 46	
Gender Male Female	42 46	47 49	45 47	41 45	44 46	43 46	42 43	43 47	42 45	41 45	44 46	
International Yes No	42 45	53 48	49 46	49 43	51 45	50 44	48 42	51 45		49 43	51 45	
Indigenous Yes No	49 45	49 48	49 47	47 43	51 45	49 44	56 42	32 46		47 43	50 45	
Main home language English Language other than English	44 45	47 53	46 50	43 49	44 51	43 50	41 49	45 52	43 50	42 49	44 51	
First in family Yes No	43 46	48 49	46 47	44 43	45 46	45 45	43 41	44 47		44 43	45 46	
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	46 43 53	48 47 28	47 45 44	43 42 44	46 44 49	45 43 47				43 42 44	46 44 49	43
Disability Yes No	35 45	44 49	40 47	43 43	47 45	45 44	42 42	47 46		43 43	47 45	

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	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
_	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
Field of education												
Sciences	39	43	41	38	41	40	41	40		39	41	
IT	42	50	45	37	42	40	35	38		36	42	
Engineering	41	43	42	40	40	40	40	43		40	41	
Architecture	40	46	42	43	38	41	41	41	41	43	38	
Agriculture	36	54	43	41	45	43	40	42		40	44	
Health	49	52	51	47	48	47	44	55		47	48	
Education	48	45	47	45	46	46	49	53		45	46	
Business	41	47	44	41	44	43	43	46		41	44	
Humanities	48	52	50	46	50	48	42	47		46	49	
Creative arts	46	43	44	40	44	42	43	46	44	40	44	42
Attendance type												
Part time	41	45	43	38	42	41	40			39	42	
Full time	45	49	47	44	46	45	42	46	44	44	46	45
Mode of study												
External/distance	38	47	43	42	45	44	43	48	45	42	45	44
Campus-based	46	49	47	43	46	45	42	45	44	43	46	
Main way of financing study												
Government funded	45	47	46	43	45	44	43	46	44	43	45	44
Student fees	42	55	48	43	47	46	41	46	43	43	47	
University financial support												
Yes	45	51	49	45	50	48	45	51	47	45	50	48
No	45	48	46	44	46	45	42			44	46	
Average overall grade												
Less than 60%	45	44	44	41	44	42	41	44	42	41	44	42
Equal to or greater than 60%	44	49	47	43	46	45	42		44	43	46	45
Proportion of study online												
No study online	42	47	45	41	43	42	39	43	41	41	43	42
Some or all of study online	45	49		44	46	45	43			44	46	
Live on campus												
Yes	44	54	47	46	49	47	43	54	44	45	49	46
No	45	48	46	43	45	44	41	45		43	45	

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	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students
Career Readiness												
Age Under 20 20 or over	33 34	4 <sup>-</sup> 42		36 32	39 42		28 32	34 35	29 35	3		
Gender Male Female	32 33	40		34 35	41 42	38 39	29 30	34 37	31 33	3	3 40 4 4	
International Yes No	36 33	5: 4:		40 34	45 41	44 37	42 28	39 35		4 3		
Indigenous Yes No	38 34	3 <sup>4</sup>		35 35	41 41	39 38	35 29	39 35		3		
Main home language English Language other than English	34 35	4: 4:	2 38 5 41	34 40	40 45		28 38	35 40		3 4		
First in family Yes No	34 33	4 <sup>-</sup>		34 35	40 42		29 29	36 35		3		
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	36 31 29	4. 4. 4.	36	35 33 31	42 40 42	37				3 3 3	3 40	37
Disability Yes No	31 34	3! 4:		34 35	39 41	37 38	25 30	34 35		3		

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	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
_	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	<u>year</u>	year	students
Field of education												
Sciences	32	39	35	31	37	34	27	32		30	36	
IT	28	37	30	34	40	37	25			33	40	
Engineering	29	45	38	33	42	38	26	38		32	42	
Architecture	27	38	31	37	41	39	27	25		35	39	
Agriculture	38	39 44	38 38	36	41	39 38	36	38		36	41 41	38 38
Health Education	31 37	44 49	43	34 35	42 40	38 38	31 31	28 40		34 35	41	
Business	42	49	43	40	45	36 43	35	40		40	40 45	
Humanities	30	37	34	33	39	36	27	34		32	38	
Creative arts	40	42	41	34	42	38	32			34	42	
oreative arts	40	72	71	31	72	56	32	37	33	34	72	30
Attendance type												
Part time	35	38	37	31	37	35	29			31	37	35
Full time	33	43	38	35	43	39	29	35	32	34	42	38
Mode of study												
External/distance	36	45	41	33	41	39	36	37	36	33	41	39
Campus-based	33	42		35	42	38	29	35	32	34	41	37
·												
Main way of financing study												
Government funded	33	41	37	34	41	38	29			34	40	
Student fees	35	50	42	36	43	40	30	35	32	35	43	40
University financial support												
Yes	31	43	38	34	44	40	29	38	32	33	44	39
No	34	43	38	35	41	38	29			34	40	
Average overall grade	0.4	40	20	0.5		0.4	0.4	00	0.4	0.4	07	0.4
Less than 60%	34 33	42	38	35	38	36 39	31	32 36	31 32	34	37	36 38
Equal to or greater than 60%	33	43	38	35	42	39	29	36	32	34	41	38
Proportion of study online												
No study online	31	43	38	32	39	35	23	33	28	31	38	35
Some or all of study online	34	43	38	35	42	39	31	36	33	35	41	38
Live on compute			_									
Live on campus Yes	32	50	37	35	44	38	29	41	30	33	43	36
No	32 34	42	38	34	44	38 38	29 29			33	43 41	36 38
NO	34	42	30	34	41	30	29	33	33	34	41	30

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	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students		
Average Overall Grade														
Age Under 20 20 or over	73 72	7 7	6 73 3 73	73 73	74 72	73 72	75 72	78 74	75 74	73 73				
Gender Male Female	72 73	7 7	3 72 4 73	72 73	71 73	71 73	74 74	74 75		72 73				
International Yes No	73 73	7 7	0 71 4 73	72 73	69 73	69 73	73 74	73 75	73 74	72 73	69	70 73		
Indigenous Yes No	66 73	7 7	5 70 3 73	70 73	71 72	71 72	72 74	72 75	72 74	70 73				
Main home language English Language other than English	73 73		4 73 0 71	73 70	73 68	73 69	74 73	75 73	74 73	73 71				
First in family Yes No	73 73	7 7	3 73 4 73	72 73	72 72	72 72	73 75	73 75	73 75	72 73	72	? 72 ? 73		
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	74 72 65	7 7 6	4 73	72 73 72	72 74 73	72 74 72				72 73 72	74	74		
Disability Yes No	70 73	7 7		71 73	72 72	72 72	73 74	74 75	73 74	71 73		? 72 ? 73		

	Austral	asian Univer	sity	Beno	chmark g	roup 1	Beno	chmark g	roup 2	Beno	chmark g	roup 3
	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
Field of education												
Sciences	67	73		73	72		74	74		73		
IT	70	69		73	72	72	72	75		73		
Engineering	73	73		73	71	72	73	73		73		
Architecture	76	77		75	73	74	76			75		
Agriculture	73	68		71	73	72	70			71	73	
Health	76	75		73	72	72	78	79	78	73	73	73
Education	74	76		72	75	74	75	76		73		
Business	75	72		71	69	70	73	72		71	69	70
Humanities	73	74		73	73	73	74	75		73		
Creative arts	72	75	73	75	75	75	78	77	77	75	75	75
Attendance type												
Part time	72	73		72	73	73	73			72		
Full time	73	73	73	73	72	72	74	75	74	73	72	? 72
Mode of study												
External/distance	70	73	72	73	73	73	71	73	72	73	73	73
Campus-based	73	73	73	73	72	72	74	75	74	73	72	? 72
Main way of financing study												
Government funded	73	74		73	73	73	74	74		73		
Student fees	74	71	72	73	70	71	75	75	75	73	70	71
University financial support												
Yes	74	74		75	74	74	77	77		75		
No	73	73	73	72	72	72	73	74	74	72	72	. 72
Proportion of study online												
No study online	72	73	73	72	72	72	74	75	74	72	73	72
Some or all of study online	73	73	73	73	72	72	74	74	74	73	72	? 73
Live on campus												
Yes	72	70		73	71	73	75	77		74		
No	73	74	73	72	72	72	74	74	74	72	72	72

	Austral	asian Univer	sity	Beno	chmark g	roup 1	Bend	:hmark gi	roup 2	Benchmark group 3				
	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students		
Departure Intention														
Age Under 20 20 or over	33 31	2 <sup>-</sup> 20	1 32 6 27	31 28	25 30	30 30	30 34	43 29	31 30	3 <sup>2</sup>		30 30		
Gender Male Female	35 32	3: 2:	2 33 3 27	29 30	31 29	30 30	29 32	28 31	29 32	2º 3°		30 9 30		
International Yes No	26 33	3: 24	3 4 29	28 30	34 29	32 30	34 31	34 30		28 30	34			
Indigenous Yes No	43 33	60 21		31 30	40 29	37 30	19 31	11 30		3° 30				
Main home language English Language other than English	35 17	24 3!	30 5 27	30 29	29 31	30 30	31 34	29 36	30 35	30 20	) 29	9 30 2 31		
First in family Yes No	36 30	2 <sup>-</sup>		29 31	30 30	29 30	31 31	29 30		29				
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	30 39 29	2! 2! 2!	5 33	30 31 35	29 34 30	29 32 32				30 33 35	J 34	32		
Disability Yes No	39 32	3! 2!	5 37 5 29	36 30	40 29	38 29	34 31	40 29		36				

	Austral	asian Univers	ity	Beno	chmark gi	roup 1	Beno	:hmark gi	roup 2	Benchmark group 3				
	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All		
	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students		
Field of education														
Sciences	44	37	41	34	28	31	31	36	33	33	30			
IT	29	75	45	28	31	30	46	28	35	29				
Engineering	20	19		25	30	28	19	21	20	25	29			
Architecture	29	50	36	25	30	27	49	48	49	28	32			
Agriculture	33	0		25	30	28	34	31	33	27	30			
Health	21	11	16	26	30	28	25	18	22	26				
Education	39	7	25	27	28	27	27	31	29	27	28			
Business	44	29	36	34	29	31	33	25	29	34	29			
Humanities	34	31	32	32	30	31	33	32	33	32	31			
Creative arts	23	38	30	32	36	34	25	32	28	32	35	34		
Attendance type														
Part time	35	26	31	32	30	31	32	25	29	32	30	31		
Full time	33	26	29	30	30	30	31	30	31	30	30	30		
Mode of study														
External/distance	36	36	36	31	33	32	24	39	31	30	33	32		
Campus-based	32	23	28	30	29	29	32	29	30	30	29	29		
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Main way of financing study														
Government funded	34	25	29	30	30	30	32	29	30	31	30			
Student fees	29	27	28	28	31	30	29	34	32	28	31	30		
University financial support														
Yes	47	26		28	30	29	26	31	28	27	30	29		
No	31	25	28	30	29	30	32	30	31	30	29	30		
Average overall grade														
Less than 60%	51	34	44	43	43	43	55	44	51	44	43	43		
Equal to or greater than 60%	30	24		28	28	28	28	29		28				
Dranartian of study online														
Proportion of study online No study online	37	18	27	30	29	29	30	27	28	30	29	29		
Some or all of study online	32	27		30	30	30	30	31	31	30				
,	32	21	27	30	30	30	31	31	J۱	30	30	30		
Live on campus														
Yes	44	22	38	25	29	27	29	26		27	29			
No	30	26	27	31	30	30	33	30	31	31	30	30		

_	Austral	asian Univers	ity	Beno	chmark g	roup 1	Bend	:hmark gi	roup 2	Benchmark group 3				
_	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students	First year	Later year	All students		
Overall Satisfaction														
Age Under 20 20 or over	73 73	73 69	73 70	71 71	70 65	71 67	74 71	66 71		72 71	69 66			
Gender Male Female	73 73	69 69	71 71	70 72	64 67	67 69	74 73	69 71	71 72	70 72	65 67			
International Yes No	69 73	58 70	6 <mark>2</mark> 72	64 72	61 67	62 69	66 74	62 71	64 72	64 72	61 67	62 69		
Indigenous Yes No	73 73	61 69	68 71	71 71	67 66	69 68	81 73	67 70		72 71	67 66			
Main home language English Language other than English	73 69	70 62	72 65	72 66	67 62	69 63	74 68	71 65		72 66	67 62			
First in family Yes No	72 73	70 68	71 70	72 70	66 66	69 68	73 73	70 70	72 72	72 71	66 66			
Locality Metropolitan Regional Remote	73 71 64	69 66 67	71 69 65	71 72 69	66 65 71	69 68 70				71 72 69	66 65 71	68		
Disability Yes No	72 73	71 69	71 71	71 71	65 66	68 68	72 73	66 71	69 72	72 71	65 66			

	Austral	asian Univers	ity	Ben	chmark gi	oup 1	Bend	:hmark gi	roup 2	Benchmark group 3				
	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All		
	year	year	students	year	year	students	<u>year</u>	year	students	year	year	students		
Field of education														
Sciences	64	65	65	71	69	70	73	72		71	69	70		
IT	67	50		68	60	63	66	66		68	61	64		
Engineering	67	71	69	72	61	66	75	70		72	62	67		
Architecture	79	78	79	72	65	69	75	63		72	65	69		
Agriculture	73	81	76	73	71	72	78	74	77	74	72	73		
Health	75	68	71	72	65	69	74	77		72	65	69		
Education	72	68	70	73	65	69	74	71	72	73	65	69		
Business	73	68	70	68	65	66	71	69		68	65	66		
Humanities	75 21	71	73	72	69	70	73	69	71	72	69	70		
Creative arts	81	68	75	71	67	69	76	67	72	71	67	69		
Attendance type														
Part time	71	75	73	70	66	67	71	69	70	70	66	67		
Full time	73	68	71	71	66	68	74	70		72	66	69		
Marks of all I														
Mode of study	40		/7	70			70	/7	70	70				
External/distance	69	65	67	70	64	65	73	67	70 72	70	64	66		
Campus-based	73	70	72	71	66	69	73	70	12	72	67	69		
Main way of financing study														
Government funded	73	69	71	72	66	69	74	72	73	72	67	69		
Student fees	72	67	70	68	63	65	72	66		69	64	65		
University financial support														
Yes	72	69		72	67	70	75	72		73	68	70		
No	73	69	71	71	65	68	73	70	72	71	66	68		
Average overall grade														
Less than 60%	66	60	64	64	57	60	66	64	65	64	57	61		
Equal to or greater than 60%	74	70	72	72	67	69	75	71		73	67	70		
Proportion of study online														
No study online	69	71	70	71	66	68	73	69		71	66	69		
Some or all of study online	74	69	71	71	66	68	73	71	72	71	66	69		
Live on campus														
Yes	72	65	70	74	66	71	75	73	75	75	66	72		
No	73	69	71	71	66	68	72	70		71	66	68		
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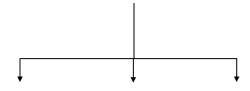
## **Australasian University**

Annual Scale Scores
November 2009

This report shows mean scores for each of the scales for each year the AUSSE has been conducted.

Results are provided separately for each year that your institution has participated in the AUSSE. This allows you to quickly track changes in engagement and outcomes measures overall at your university.

Weighted mean scores are given for first-year and later-year students, and for all students combined.



Results are also provided for the overall Australasian group for each year the AUSSE has been conducted.



#### Scale Statistics by Year (Scale Scores) for Your Institution and Australasia

					Institu	tion				Australasia												
		2009	9		200	8		200	7		2009	9		2008	8		200	7				
	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All				
-	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students				
Academic Challenge	32	36	34	31	36	33	41	35	38	47	49	48	46	48	47	45	48	46				
Active Learning	40	48	44	40	48	44	40	48	44	37	40	39	36	40	38	33	38	36				
Student and Staff Interactions	21	18	19	23	21	22	25	19	22	20	25	23	20	25	22	18	24	21				
Enriching Educational Experiences	22	44	35	28	45	37	28	44	37	23	27	25	23	27	25	23	28	26				
Supportive Learning Environment	33	11	28	28	15	20	28	16	21	56	52	54	55	51	53	51	50	51				
Work Integrated Learning	8	35	21	7	35	21	8	35	21	40	50	45	40	50	45	39	50	44				
Higher Order Thinking	60	70	65	55	70	62				64	67	65	62	66	64							
General Learning Outcomes	58	56	56	50	50	50				61	65	63	60	65	63							
General Development Outcomes	39	37	39	37	37	37				43	46	45	43	44	43							
Career Readiness	26	30	28							34	41	38										
Average Overall Grade	75	73	74	74	74	74				73	72	73	72	72	72							
Departure Intention	35	12	25	25	11	20				30	30	30	35	32	33							
Overall Satisfaction	60	75	69	59	74	69				71	66	68	71	66	69							



## Australasian Survey of Student Engagement (AUSSE) Australasian University Scale Statistics by Year (scale scores)

				Austra	alasian	Jniversity				Australasia								
		200	9		200	8		200	7		200	9		200	3		200	7
	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All	First	Later	All
	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students	year	year	students
Academic Challenge	46	50	48	46	50	48	45	49	47	47	49	48	46	48	47	45	48	46
Active Learning	35	42	38	38	45	42	32	39	35	37	40	39	36	40	38	33	38	36
Student and Staff Interactions	20	27	23	19	28	24	19	23	21	20	25	23	20	25	22	18	24	21
Enriching Educational Experiences	22	28	25	21	28	25	24	28	25	23	27	25	23	27	25	23	28	26
Supportive Learning Environment	57	55	56	54	51	52	52	52	52	56	52	54	55	51	53	51	50	51
Work Integrated Learning	39		44	41	53	48	42	50	46	40	50	45	40	50	45	39	50	44
Higher Order Thinking	62	68	65	63	68	66				64	67	65	62	66	64			
General Learning Outcomes	60	67	64	62	66	65				61	65	63	60	65	63			
General Development Outcomes	45	49	47	43	46	45				43	46	45	43	44	43			
Career Readiness	34	42	38							34	41	38						
Average Overall Grade	73	73	73	72	72	72				73	72	73	72	72	72			
Departure Intention	32	26	29	35	26	30				30	30	30	35	32	33			
Overall Satisfaction	73	69	71	70	67	68				71	66	68	71	66	69			

